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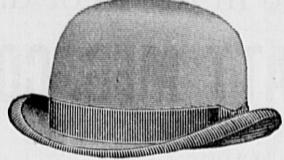
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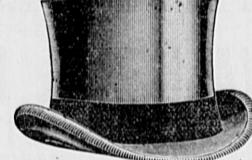
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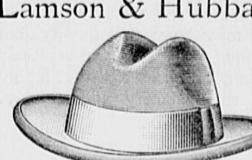
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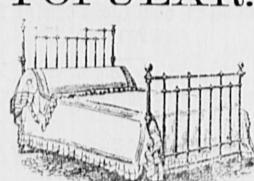
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NEWTON.

For other Newton items see page 3.

—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. tf

—Shirt repairing, see Blackwell's adv. tf

—Mr. Edwin C. Buffum of Amherst is at his home on Hollis street.

—Mr. E. N. Soules has been appointed L. A. W. consul for Newton.

—Mrs. Junius B. Hill of Bellevue street is much improved in health.

—Foster Stearns of Amherst College is ill at his home on Park street.

—Miss Helen Howes of Smith College is at her home on Park street this week.

—Mr. Warren Jaquith has been ill the past week at his home on Russell road.

—Roy Thompson of Newtonville avenue is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

—Miss Catherine Holmes of Park street is home from Smith College for the Easter recess.

—Mr. William A. Kedy and family have moved from Williams street to Oakland street.

—Mr. Fred L. Beverly of Tremont street is able to be out after a severe attack of the grip.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wright of Jefferson street have returned from a visit to Duxbury.

—Spinach, 25 cents per peck; radishes, 3 bunches for 10 cents. Newton Corner Market.

—Mr. Albert Flemming and family have moved this week to the Lentell house on Pearl street.

—Miss Robbins will have no formal opening but will show exclusive styles in spring millinery from now until Easter.

—Captain George Thompson has returned to New York after a short visit to his home on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. William Donald has moved from the Brown house near the library to one of the tenements in the post office block.

—Miss Sybil Cox of Washington street and Miss Elizabeth Leavitt of Peabody street have returned from Northampton.

—Mr. Archibald W. Thomas and family have moved from Newton Highlands to the house recently occupied by Mr. Chapin on Oakland street.

—Mrs. H. S. Leonard of Maple avenue, who has been confined to her home for two months with an attack of rheumatic fever, is able to be out.

—Mrs. William Orr of Jefferson street will move soon to Bridgeport, Conn., where Mr. Orr has a position in the Locomotive factory.

—Men who dread standing around at a fair will be pleased with the comfortable smoking room at St. John's fair, Newtonville.

—Prof. C. W. Rishell of Newtonville avenue is in Washington, D. C., this week, where he is giving a course of lectures before the Baltimore conference.

—The boys' gymnasium classes at the Y. M. C. A. will close for the season Saturday evening, April 14th. Prizes will be awarded to each of the group of boys who have secured the highest number of points.

—The ladies of Eliot church have packed and sent a barrel this week to a missionary family in Iowa.

—Clarence Campbell of Newtonville avenue is home from Wilbraham Academy for a few days' visit.

—At the next meeting of the Nonantum Colony No. 77, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, on Monday evening, April 9th, all candidates in waiting will be initiated. A full attendance of the members is desired.

—John Lodge, who is attending a military school at Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, is at home for the spring vacation.

—Dr. William E. Baxter and family of Brookline have moved here and have taken the Rogers house on Centre street.

—Miss Carrie Childs of Richardson street is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Childs.

—Fresh killed fowl, 15 cents per pound; hind quarters or legs fancy lamb, 15 cents per pound. Newton Corner Market.

—Wm. E. Pike, electrician and licensed gas-fitter. The only electrician having a license in the city. Telephone 215, Newton.

—The choir of Eliot church with additional talent are rehearsing for a Old Folks' concert to be given early in May.

—Have you got your tickets for the Hunnewell Club minstrel show? Don't wait until it is too late. See another column.

—Mr. J. H. Bancroft of Channing street is improving from his recent illness and has returned to his position in Howes' market.

—Mr. H. E. Chapin and family have moved into the house with Mrs. Chapin's father, Mr. L. S. Holman on Oakland street.

—Rev. Charles W. Wendte of Newton Centre will occupy the pulpit of Channing Unitarian church Sunday morning, exchanging with the pastor.

—The last sociable for the season will be held in the Unitarian church parlors next Thursday. Supper will be served at 6.30 and a social hour will follow.

—You can now buy Velyox Paper for work. Also Film for 2-6-12 exposures at the Theatres.

—The next meeting of the Social Science Club will be held on Wednesday, April 11, in the Hunnewell clubhouse at 10 a. m. Subject, "Recreation: Its Value and Abuse for Men and Women."

—Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Mr. Charles A. McDonough will speak on the work of the state committee in Massachusetts.

—A basket ball game will be played at the Y. M. C. A. next Wednesday evening at 8.30. The Gypsies of Newton and the Consolidated of Quincy and Winchendon.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Warren Evans of Oakleigh road have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in the death of their 5 year old daughter, Marion Virginia, who died last Saturday of diphtheria.

—The final sociable for the season will be held at the Immanuel Baptist church next Thursday evening. Mr. Stephen Moore, Mrs. A. Alden Howe, Miss Eliza Dupee and others are preparing a pleasing program.

—An interesting and well attended meeting of the teachers of the Channing Sunday school was held at the residence of Miss Priscilla E. Alden on Centre street last Friday evening. The subject considered was the life of Christ.

—On Saturday, March 31st, the Caleb Stark Chapter, J. A. of Newton, was entertained by its director, Miss Kate Woodbury Fox, at the State D. R. rooms, Tremont building, Boston. Miss Sarah E. Hunt ex regent of the Mass. D. R., gave an interesting talk about the George Jr. Republic. Additional remarks were made on the subject by Miss Fox, Miss Whiting and Miss Mabel Clark. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

—Special devotional meetings will be held in the Eliot chapel on the evenings of next week, under the general topic, "The Life of Christ." Different leaders will conduct these services, which will begin at 7.45 and close at 8.30. Monday evening, "The home at Bethany, or the place of friendship"; Tuesday, "The guest Chamber, or the place of covenant fellowship"; Wednesday, "The garden, or the place of suffering"; Thursday, "The tribunal, or the place of judgment"; Friday, 7.30, union services.

—The photographic studio at 338 Centre street, formerly owned by George Brazier, who succeeded Odin Fritz, was sold this last week to George L. Nichols. The negatives which date back to 1853, were bought by Marshall & Kelly, photographers, who have a studio in the Stevens Building on Washington street, and have already had them moved to their studio. These negatives are for sale to the people for whom they were taken, or can be reordered from them. There are many people probably of value, and so to insure safe keeping would be glad to buy them at a reasonable rate.

—Miss Anna C. Kenrick, a descendant of one of the oldest and best known Newton families, died Monday morning at the home of her nephew, Mr. John K. Taylor, on Waverley avenue. Miss Kenrick was a daughter of the late John K. Taylor, who was the late Capt. John A. Kenrick, for many years Newton's city treasurer. Miss Kenrick was 53 years old, a native of Newton, and had lived all her life in the Kenrick homestead on Waverley avenue. She was educated in the Newton schools and was an active and earnest supporter of the Channing Unitarian church. She was a widow, and had suffered but a short time.

—The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon.

—The service was held at 2 o'clock.

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## CITY GOVERNMENT.

APPOINTMENT OF CITY ENGINEER IRVING T. FARNHAM PROVOKED NO END OF TALK AT MONDAY EVENING'S MEETING OF BOARD OF ALDERMEN—MAYOR WAS FINALLY SUSTAINED HOWEVER—ATTEMPT TO REDUCE SALARY OF CITY ENGINEER DEFEATED—SEVERAL OTHER MATTERS.

Every promise and every anticipation of interest and excitement at Monday evening's meeting of the board of aldermen was fulfilled and realized. Of course the appointment of a city engineer was the feature of the evening. The mayor's nomination was the whole show. It embodied the three rings, the menagerie, the hippodrome and the side show.

And not unlike a circus was the consideration of the city engineer's appointment. At any rate it was full as interesting. Spectators were lacking and there was an absence of lemonade and sawdust. Some of the debate was as dry as the latter circus adjunct, however, but fortunately there was no lack of ice-water. As a matter of fact the page was kept busy handling the pitcher and glasses. Noisily he stole from one desk to another and supplied the thirsty orators. They were too busy to thank him, and eagerly gulped it down.

President Baily was in the chair promptly at 7:45 and was not a second tardy in calling the board to order. The first communication came from the committee on awards for

## ELIOT MEMORIAL ESSAYS

which was in substance. The prizes for the Eliot essays for 1899 have been awarded as follows: the essays were divided into two classes, Class A, length 1,000 words open to those from 10 to 14 years; 1st prize \$3, 2nd prize \$2. Class B, length 2,000 words open to those from 15 to 20 years of age, 1st prize \$10 and 2nd prize \$5.

In Class B the 1st prize was awarded to Alfred K. Kershaw, 35 Cross street, West Newton, a senior at the High school and the 2nd to Miss Nina Crandall, formerly of the Williams school Auburndale, but now of the 4th grade of the High school.

In Class A the 1st prize was awarded Ethel C. Hall of 127 Winchester street, Newton Highlands, a junior in the New High school.

Noticing the absence in the above report of any reference to a class A 2nd prize, Col. Kingsbury wrote to superintendent Fifield that the matter might be understood and explained at Monday evening's meeting of the aldermen. The following reply was received from Mr. Fifield.

Col. L. C. Kingsbury:

Dear Sir:—In reply to yours of March 27 would say there was no award made of a 2nd prize in Class A as the committee did not think there were any essays which deserved the prize. It was evident that the conditions had not been fully understood by all competitors, and therefore the committee was compelled to classify the essays into A and B by the length rather than the age limit followed last year.

Yours truly,

ALBERT B. FIFIELD.

All these interesting communications were read and placed on file.

A communication was received from Buildings Commissioner Elder notifying the board that C. M. Butler, architect, had been engaged to erect a stone and wooden building on his land adjoining the Woodland Park Hotel, said building to be used as a heating plant. The communication was referred to the license committee.

The republican ward and city committee requested the use of ward rooms in which to hold caucuses on April 18 for the choice of delegates to the national convention. The request was granted.

C. M. Butler's petition for a sewer on Erie avenue was referred to the sewer committee. The same petitioner's request for a street light was referred to the same committee.

C. A. Miner and F. A. Day were appointed anthonomers.

The Newton Centre Golf Club was granted permission to move its club building from Langley road to vacant land off Centre street.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The finance committee reported recommending appropriation of \$93,500 for city expenses during April, 1900; recommending appropriation of \$18 for prizes from Eliot Memorial Fund; recommending the rescinding of bond issue of \$25,000 for Bigelow school, and appropriating \$25,000 therefrom to city treasury. Reports received. The journal committee reported recommending approval of records to date. Report received.

The license committee reported recommending granting leave to withdraw on three junk petitions and two common victualler petitions. One of the latter two was that of D. Salemme of Ward 7. Salemme's petition was the one over which there was no end of discussion in last year's board. Part of the ground was gone over again of last year by the members on Monday evening. It seemed to amuse the new members. In the end the committee's recommendation was sustained.

The license committee recommended granting license for an amusement park to the Normandie park company and of a permit to N. J. Holmes that he might erect a wooden building on Curvy street, Ward 3. These recommendations were adopted. The following licenses were also granted, holdmen, C. C. Butler, Ward 4; C. L. Ellingson, Oliver E. Ellen, A. O'Neill, Ward 3; George Lane, Ward 7; Newton Centre Women's Club, Ward 6; Mrs. J. C. Jones, Ward 2; Mrs. M. A. Johnson, Ward 3. Hackney carriages—Randall Ross, Ward 6; George W. Bush, Ward 7; Patrick Cudod, Ward 3; T. F. Melody, Ward 4; Fitzgerald Bros., Ward 4; Henry A. Spear, Ward 5; C. C. Butler, Ward 4; John Monaghan, Ward 3; J. J. Daniels, Ward 6; Henry P. Cap, Ward 3; Robert W. Ward, Ward 6; Margaret Brady, Ward 2; A. F. Whalen, Ward 1; C. G. Tinkham, Ward 4; F. L. Richardson & Co., Ward 6.

Billiard tables, pool tables and bowling alleys—Neighborhood Club, Ward 3; Newton Club, Ward 2; Chestnut Hill Club, Ward 4; Henry Yvette, Ward 3; Newton Boat Club, 343; Timothy J. Johnson, Ward 4; Mrs. S. W. Sawyer, Ward 4; C. E. Carter, Ward 7; Minotaurian Association, Ward 5; Hunnewell Club, Ward 7; Geo. F. James, Ward 2; John Farrell, Ward 2; Geo. S. Beets, Ward 3; Wm. J. Hackett, Ward 4; C. C. Butler, Ward 4.

In addition to these 29 wagon licenses and 9 common victualler licenses were granted.

## NO STREET MUSIC UNTIL MAY 1.

There will be no street music until May 1. There were 14 permits granted Monday evening and an amended ordinance governing itinerant musicians was also expected.

Under the provisions of the amended ordinance music cannot begin until 9 a.m. and must cease before 10 p.m. Of course there will be no music on Sunday. Each holder of a license will have to pay a fee of 50 cents. The licenses will not become operative until May 1, from which it is clear we will not hear street music for a month.

## OTHER COMMITTEE REPORTS.

In addition to the ordinance committee's report on the street music problem these reports were received from the committee on sewers:—Recommending passage of order reserving 100 feet of the English Classical school; from the street light committee recommending granting New England Telephone & Telegraph Company an attachment on Glen avenue and Langley

## ORDERS.

These orders were adopted: Appropriating \$93,500 for April 1900; appropriating \$18 for prizes under Eliot Memorial Fund; reserving 100 feet of land for Bigelow school and appropriating \$25,000 therefrom to city treasury; resounding sewer assessment of \$58.74 upon estate of West Newton English and Classical school; granting New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. attachments on Glen avenue, Ward 6; Langley road, Ward 6; Pleasant street, Ward 5; Marlboro street, Ward 7; granting Newton & Watertown Gas Light Company pole locations on Ripley street, Ward 6; amending standing regulations of board of aldermen relating to street musicians.

## THE FARNHAM INCIDENT.

The confirmation of Mayor Wilson's appointment of Irving T. Farnham as city engineer was assigned for this meeting just as it has been for many previous meetings. Strangely enough it was disposed of last Monday evening.

The debate was opened by Alderman Dana. In many respects what I have to say is a painful duty. I believe it to be my duty. As the issue has to be met I must meet it as best I can. I would like to vote to confirm Mr. Farnham but do not believe he would be in the best interests of the public. I think it against public interest. I think it in defiance of it. I think the committee to whom this matter was first referred would have preferred to have Mr. Childs. The majority thought they could do nothing but consider Mr. Farnham's name. This position maintained by the majority of the committee I do not believe to be tenable.

It is surprising that the laymen have not been more active.

At this point Mr. Dana pointed out what in his mind was the proper stand to take in the matter. As an alderman he felt he should advise the mayor. To support this theory he quoted Daniel Webster, Story and Eaton. His dissertation consumed some time.

Continuing, I believe this appointment if carried through will show the power of a

The right of the board to adjust this matter is a right to be exercised, not abused. I believe a great injustice has been done. I believe Mr. Childs is the best public servant the city has. I do not know any public servant that is his superior.

Every one thought Mr. Childs would be appointed.

After his services I believe he is entitled to it. If he is not appointed I believe it will be a blow to good government.

Alderman Lyman tried to raise a point of order, but was overruled. The letters should not bring in the name of any other candidate for the position of city engineer.

Alderman Baily ruled the point not well taken and permitted Mr. Dana to read several letters of recommendation in support of Mr. Childs. Among the letters were some written by George F. Swain, George S. Rice, Dwight Porter and Judge Bishop. Mr. Dana held in his hand but refrained from reading at least the others.

Mr. Dana's motion was referred to Mayor Wilson's nomination what is there to say? There is nothing to be discharged.

Certainly it was not on the grounds of economy. Mayor Wilson said, and I believe him, that Mr. Woods' judgment entirely governed the matter. How then, after his discharge, did Mayor Wilson become acquainted with Mr. Farnham? I know, his attention was called to the young man by the street commissioners. Mr. Farnham is Mr. Childs' junior. Mr. Farnham has not had Mr. Childs' experience. Mr. Farnham was brought here to block off Mr. Childs. I am told that if Mr. Farnham's nomination is not put through there will be a candidate forthcoming from Providence, R. I.

I think an injustice has been done Mr. Childs. He has received unfair treatment for years. For three years he has had to bear the brunt of the opposition. I said that point that there had been friction between Street Commissioner Ross and Mr. Childs over several petty matters. The street commissioner he pointed out was the aggressor. Mr. Noyes in his time used to come to the meetings of the sewer committee. When Mr. Childs came Mr. Ross told me that this was in his opinion a breach of discipline.

If Mr. Childs came to a sewer committee, Mr. Ross would expect to be asked if he had been received at the highway. Now I recall Mr. Ross' motive. Continuing Mr. Dana showed where in his opinion there existed hostility.

Alderman Dana moved to have the matter indefinitely postponed. Seconded by Alderman Lowell.

Alderman Hutchinson took an entirely different stand from that assumed by Alderman Dana. He was of the opinion that the board should not be bound by the letter of the law in this case. He referred to Mr. Farnham's credit rather than any thing else that he is Mr. Childs' junior. That he graduated later is of a benefit to him. He has obtained more up-to-date ideas. There is no office in the city more important than that of city engineer. It is more a question of ability than experience. The mayor has the right to nominate and we have the right to endorse his nomination. As far as I am concerned I would have the matter indefinitely postponed. I believe nothing could be gained by such an action.

The committee voted to adjourn. The motion was carried.

Alderman Lyman flattened Alderman Baily's salary arguments by telling of the high regard in which Mr. Farnham was held professionally and what he, Lyman, knew of Mr. Farnham's achievements.

Mr. Noyes' motion was carried and followed, and it was finally decided to vote upon Mr. Web's motion to lay the matter be laid on the table. This failed of passage 10 nays against 9 yeas.

Mr. Farnham's confirmation was then brought up. It was carried 14 to 5.

An attempt was made to reduce the salary of the city engineer from \$3,000 to \$2,500. This was lost.

At 11:30 the board adjourned.

## SPREADS LIKE WILDFIRE.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies blood, strengthens nerves, cures excesses, cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by all Druggists."

## SHOT WHILE GUNNING.

The accidental explosion of a rifle which he was handling resulted in a serious injury to William Rooney's right arm, Monday afternoon. William is the 13-year-old son of Michael Rooney of Jewett place, and was playing with a companion when the accident occurred.

The two were walking through Cabot's woods, Newtonville, discharging the rifle at various objects as they passed. The rifle was in Rooney's hands at the time of the explosion, which is regarded as purely accidental.

Immediately after the injured boy was brought to Nonantum square and attended by two physicians. They advised Mr. Dana on Daniel Webster's plan in no way applied to the question. We have a duty to perform. We should confirm Mr. Farnham. It would not be fair to the board to remove him and direct him to the mayor.

Mr. Fisher the night the appointment of Mr. Farnham was the point to be considered. Mr. Childs was not before the board nor was his name. The mayor's nominee should be confirmed out of courtesy to the mayor if for nothing else.

Alderman Weeks—I wish to endorse the last speaker. I believe delay would prove a detriment to the city. Perhaps as a member of the street committee I would at first have liked to have had Mr. Childs nominated. I am frank to say that there is no one but can say that Mr. Farnham is perfectly competent. It is a fact that Mr. Woods believed Mr. Farnham perfectly competent.

Messrs. Warren and Lothrop endorsed Mr. Farnham's confirmation. They sincerely hoped Alderman Dana's motion would not be carried. They also said that Mr. Farnham's credit rather than any thing else that he is Mr. Childs' junior. That he graduated later is of a benefit to him. He has obtained more up-to-date ideas.

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Lambert, his agent, as the  
law directs. All persons having demands upon  
the estate of said deceased are required to ex-  
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**Hen Thief Punished.**

In the capture and punishment of John J. Mead, a self-confessed hen thief, it is probable there will be a suppression of thefts of this character which have occurred for months with uncommon and alarming frequency. Complaint after complaint has been entered concerning the robbing of hen-roosts, and not until Monday were the police successful in securing an arrest.

Mead's conviction does not mean that the police have caught the man responsible for all the thefts, but it will probably prevent any more hen thefts inasmuch as any thief who may now be caught will be dealt with very severely.

Officers in different sections of the city have been on the alert and displayed a decided determination to catch the thieves. The matter has also been brought to the attention of Judge Kennedy.

For several weeks the residents in the vicinity of Beacon and Walnut streets, Newton Highlands, have been the victims of a hen thief who has been making night raids. Last Monday evening a disturbance, and a large hubbub off Beacon street, gave warning to those residing in the vicinity, and several men rushed to the place. They were not quick enough, however, to catch a man who suddenly dashed out the door of the henhouse and ran down the street. Officer Groth happened along about that time, and, seeing the man, who had a hen under each arm, running down the street, stopped him and asked him who he was. The man proved to be John J. Mead of Newton Centre, and as he could give no satisfactory explanation as to how he came by the hens, he was placed under arrest. Later his house at 1050 Beacon street was searched and in the cellar was found a crate containing eight hens. These have since been identified as the property of Mrs. Sullivan of Beacon street, whose hen roosts had been recently plundered. In court Tuesday morning, Mead was arraigned on two counts of larceny on each and was sentenced to ten months in the house of correction on the first, and seven months on the second.

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Accepts Call to Newton Centre.

The First Baptist church of Newton Centre is to be congratulated on having secured Rev. Everett D. Burr for its pastor.

At a meeting of the prudential committee of the Ruggles Street Baptist church, Roxbury, Monday evening, the resignation of the pastor, the Rev. Everett D. Burr, was discussed, and it was voted after much reluctance to accept it, and to request the society at a meeting to be held next Monday evening to do the same.

The Rev. Mr. Burr presided at the meeting, and he announced his decision as final. The resignation will take effect Easter Sunday, and the pastor will remain until a well-qualified man will accept it. He will accept it by the Newton Centre Baptist church, and will begin his labors there May 1. Mr. Burr will publicly announce the foregoing to his congregation next Sunday.

**Millions Given Away.**

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing that it has cured thousand of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, La Grippe and all throat, chest and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on all Druggists and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

**Eliot Church's New Vesper Services.**

Many of our musical people have been attracted Sunday afternoons by the Arlington Street church's 4 o'clock vespers services into Boston. They have been repaid for their waste of two hours of Sunday's time in the electric by the magnificent music rendered by probably the finest quartet of soloists in New England.

Our own Eliot church seems just this need in our city and has recently held instead of their evening service, three Sunday afternoon vespers services at 4:30 o'clock during Lent. Last Sunday afternoon was a full musical service at which Dubois' great masterpiece "The Seven Last Words of Christ," was given by its large chorus choir and fine quartet. The great audience composed of our best music loving people was not disappointed either with the quality of the music or the manner it was rendered, and New England has the satisfaction of traditionally musical people.

—Edward F. Healy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Healey, died on Saturday, aged 14 years. The funeral was held from his late residence on Clinton street, Monday at 9 a.m., and services followed at the Church of Our Lady at 10 o'clock.

—Mr. William F. Garelon of Hollis street is coaching the hurdlers and pole vaulters at Harvard this spring.

—A very attractive opening of spring millinery was held by Miss S. A. Smith this week at her store on Centre street.

—The Misses Wilder returned Wednesday from Smith College, and are spending their spring vacation at their home on Fairmont avenue.

—The Young People's Society of the Baptist church will hold a missionary meeting next Sunday evening when there will be a special speaker.

—Mrs. Eleanor Fox-Alen has recovered from her long illness, and returned to her position in the quartet of the Immanuel Baptist church last Sunday.

—Mr. John K. Taylor left last week for Europe, where he goes in the interests of a Boston business house. He will join Mrs. Taylor, who is spending the winter abroad.

—The offering next Sunday at Eliot church will be for the Boston Seaman's Friend Society. This is a worthy object and the society is doing a fine work in Boston.

—By invitation of the art class connected with the New England Women's Club, Mrs. Earle A. Moore gave her lecture on "The Old and New Madonnas," in Chipman Hall, Boston, Thursday afternoon.

—There was a large audience present at the Immanuel Baptist church on Sunday at the opening of the main auditorium for evening worship. There was a special musical program, and sermon by the pastor.

—Rev. Henry A. Barry of Roxbury will continue his series of special Lenten sermons on "The Lay of the Land" at the Church of Our Lady next Friday evening. The special subject will be "Final Act in the Tragedy of Cosmo."

—A subscription assembly will be held at the Humewell clubhouse, Wednesday April 11th. The affair is in charge of Miss Lois Paige and Miss Swift. The matrons will be Mrs. Elliott E. Smith and Mrs. Walter H. Keitt.

—A meeting of the Young Women's Club connected with the Immanuel Baptist church, was held Tuesday evening with Miss Clara Cook at Newtonville. The subject considered by the members was "Mexico."

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—It is understood that Maj. Robert B. Edes, assistant inspector general of rifle practice, staff of the 2d brigade, is a candidate for inspector general of rifle practice, should Col. James A. Fry be elected commander of the 1st heavy artillery, M. V. M.

—Rev. Frank B. Matthews will give the second of his series of sermons on "Gospel Contrasts," in the main auditorium of the Immanuel Baptist church next Sunday evening. The special topic will be "Good Natured Prodigals and Ill-Tempered Saints."

—The usual union Good Friday service will be held at Eliot church, Friday evening, April 13th, at 7:30 o'clock. The general subject will be "The Last Words from the Cross," and brief addresses will be made by the different pastors. An appropriate musical program being prepared.

—M. J. Harney of Boston and Thomas Layey of Waltham while riding bicycles along Washington street about 4:30 Sunday afternoon, came into collision near the corner of Marlboro and Washington. Mr. Harney received quite serious injuries to his back and ribs and was removed to his home. Both the bicycles were badly demolished.

—Mr. Charles Merrick Gay, who was widely known in Boston as the publisher of Little's Living Age from 1866 to 1879, died in New York, Monday, aged 66 years. Mr. Gay was for about twenty years a resident of Newton, first on Park street and later he purchased the E. C. Huxley house on Franklin street. While living in Newton he was an attendant at Grace church, and his health was failing rapidly owing to his desire to give those employed in his business a chance at Sunday outings.

—Our Sunday afternoons in Newton are vacant ones, and Eliot church now has the field for meeting this dire want of a large class of our people. With its large and fine organs, splendid quartet, grand organ, talented conductor, Dr. E. Truett, and its ample space, it will not be difficult to fill its great mission in our community, unless it makes these musical services for the rendition of the best religious compositions of the masters permanent.

—Sunday p. m., April 15, the cantata, "Judas' Daughters," will be given with all this fine musical combination to make it effective and impressive. To these services every one is invited.

—We welcome at Eliot church, because they in no way interfere with the religious appointments of the other churches. Music is the heart of religious worship here below and all the imagery of earth is employed in Holy Writ to assure mortals that it has no secondary place in the worship of heaven.

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—The Misses Dyer are the guests of relatives in New Haven.

—Mr. Fred A. Gay of Billings park is out of town for a week's absence.

—Miss Fanny Owen of Franklin street left Saturday for a few days' absence.

—Miss Mona Caverly of Pearl street is able to be out after her recent illness.

—Mr. Jesse Fewkes of Maple street is able to be out after his long serious illness.

—Mr. A. S. Weed of Park street has returned from an extended trip through the South.

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## NOTICES

of all local entertainments to which admission fee is charged must be paid for at regular rates, 25 cents per line in the reading matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.

THE question of accommodations for contagious cases at the Newton Hospital is a serious matter and something will have to be done in the immediate future.

The present buildings were put up by the Hospital, and at that time it was the custom to put up the cheapest kind of building for such cases, so that they might be destroyed after a certain time, in order to disinfect them properly.

The buildings have been used until the present time, but they are now very much out of repair, and it would not pay to repair them as they are entirely out of date.

The great improvements in the science of disinfection and sanitary building has brought about a change in policy and now cities and hospitals are building substantial structures for contagious cases, so constructed that they can be easily disinfected.

They are now built entirely of stone or brick with artificial stone floors, and all the finishings of such a nature that they can be easily scrubbed and purified.

The first cost is of course greater but as they are built to last it is much cheaper in the end.

The present buildings are also entirely inadequate to the demands upon them.

There are accommodations for only three nurses and the past year twelve have often been compelled to share these accommodations.

There has been also a great over crowding of patients, and at times three and four times as many patients as the buildings were intended for have been crowded into these rooms.

During the past winter although there has been no epidemic, yet without these contagious wards there would probably have been one as there have been many contagious cases of various kinds and if these had been cared for in private houses there would have been greater danger of infection, and the red cards of the board of health would have been posted all about the city.

With these arguments for new and larger buildings, the city officials are said to recognize their necessity of doing something before another winter and there have been some discussions of plans.

It is said that the cost of the new buildings necessary would be between twenty and thirty thousand dollars, but they would be permanent structures.

If we should have the same amount of sickness another winter the present city government would be severely censured for not having taken the necessary steps to provide what was needed.

It would cost a good deal to repair the present buildings so that they would be fit to use another winter and it would be money thrown away also.

Those who have studied the question hope that some action will be taken at once.

MAYOR WILSON's appointment of Mr. Farnham as his city engineer went through on Monday night after being held up for several months.

It was a most remarkable proceeding, certainly, and it is difficult to understand the position of the opponents of the Mayor.

The charter gives him full power to appoint, and the aldermen have nothing to do with the selection of a candidate except to consider his fitness for the position.

There was no question of Mr. Farnham's fitness, as he was conceded to be exceptionally well qualified, but some of the aldermen thought Mr. Childs should be appointed, and they have conducted a rather energetic campaign for some months to dissuade the Mayor to withdraw his selection and appoint the man whom they favored.

All kinds of pressure have been brought to bear and all sorts of arguments used, but the Mayor seems to differ from his former high official and his backbone is not made of gelatine.

Of course there could be only one issue out of such a contest, if the Mayor stood firm, and his appointment was finally confirmed and an attempt to reduce the salary so that Mr. Farnham would not accept it, also failed to pass.

It is a satisfactory ending of what has degenerated on the part of Mayor Wilson's opponents into a rather ridiculous squabble, without any sound argument to make it respectable.

The Mayor and Mr. Farnham are all to be congratulated that the matter is settled.

THE most astonishing news of the week is Admiral Dewey's announcement that he was a candidate for the presidency. People generally can not understand it, and it does not seem to be taken very seriously.

The time was when the Admiral would have been greeted with enthusiasm as a candidate, but unfortunately for him that time has gone by, and the Dewey of today is not regarded as the Dewey of six months ago, chiefly because of his own acts.

His announcement is of a nature to cause a smile especially when he says:

"Since studying this subject, I am convinced that the office of the president is not such a very difficult one to fill, his duties being mainly to execute the laws of Congress. Should I be chosen for this exalted position I would execute the laws of Con-

gress as faithfully as I have always executed the orders of my superiors."

The man who could say that has evidently none of the characteristics of a Moses, and the fear that he would take McLean as his superior, instead of Hanna, will not help him. What the country needs is a president with some deep convictions, and the qualities of independent leadership, a man who will be true to the guiding star of high principle, and not one who will shift about with every wind. Thomas B. Reed would be accepted as such a leader, or General Miles, but they have qualities which Dewey does not seem to possess. So far Dewey's announcement of his candidacy has aroused chiefly a feeling of pity for the hero of Manila.

THERE was a good deal of kicking over the party traces in the Senate's discussion of the Porto Rican bill. Senator Depew even went so far as to declare that the foreigner did not pay the tariff tax, which is true of course, but just before election that is a bit of humbug that protection speakers are fond of getting off upon the credulous public. But Senator Depew's clients are in the railroad business so he is perhaps to be excused. Senator Wellington of Maryland was one of the Republicans who came out strongly against the bill and said, "the legislative monstrosity now before us transgresses every principle of national honor, patriotism, good faith and justice." Senator Clay of Georgia created a laugh by saying that the President had advocated free trade in a message, and there was no official record of his having changed his mind. Any reference to the shifting character of the President's mind is always sure to be greeted with laughter in Congress.

HIGH SCHOOL pupils may now be carried for half fare, on their way to and from school, on the street railways of the state, as the bill providing for it was signed by the governor on Wednesday. The bill was introduced by Representative Sam Roads and was very shrewdly managed and pushed through both houses. Up to this time in Newton grammar school pupils were alone carried for half rates, and the High school pupils had to pay full fares. Like many other good things the agitation for this reduction was started in Newton, and it was a very shrewd move to get Mr. Roads to take charge of it as he has a winning way with him in such matters. Parents will make quite a saving by this reduction, as it is estimated that some four hundred of our High school pupils use the cars more or less.

The Waltham aldermen gave a hearing to the new Waltham street railway company, Monday evening. Among those who favored granting the new company a location were several residents of Crafts street in Newton, represented by M. S. Williams.

The hearing was quite a lively one, as there were a number of remonstrants, representing the Newton Street Railway Company, and also President Parker of the Boston &amp; Lexington street railway. Col. Stearns of Waltham claimed that the Newton Street Railway should have the preference as there were many Waltham citizens interested in that road. No decision was reached and evidently work on building the new road will not begin this week.

Some of the Boston papers think that it is real wicked for the legislature to make any investigation into Mr. Whitney's gas and coke company. The Whitney benefactions, as the Springfield Republican calls them, have been very generous to the Boston papers, and they are for Mr. Whitney and his interests every time, without regard to the interests of the gas consumers.

AN analysis of Senator Hanna's ship subsidy bill shows that the Standard Oil fleet and the American line, owned by Standard Oil magnates, will receive 80 per cent. of the bounty, and the Pacific lines will get most of the remainder. As Mr. Hanna is not in politics for his health he must be expecting a large campaign contribution from Mr. Rockefeller.

CIVIL service reform has scored a victory in the legislature as all the petitioners attacking the present law have been given leave to withdraw. This law was in spite of the appearance of Jesse Gove, or perhaps it was because of it.

Nominations Filed for Delegates.

Under the provisions of the Boston Caucus Act, adopted last October by Newton Republicans, Charles E. Hatfield, secretary of the Republican Ward and City Committee, received nominations for delegates to the state and congressional conventions.

The caucuses will be held in each of the seven wards of this city on Wednesday evening, April 18. The Massachusetts State convention for the choice of delegates to the national republican convention will be held at Boston, April 26. The date for the 11th congressional district convention has not yet been decided upon.

It is in the 11th congressional district contested, and the Republicans are especially interested, inasmuch as Senator L. Powers is mentioned as a probable nominee. It is safe to say that Newton would give him a strong support.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Hatfield showed his familiarity with the Boston Caucus Act but in Wards 1 and 3 there was a blunder in the filing. In both wards state delegates were omitted. The vacancies in the ballot will be filled by the ward and city committee April 18.

Following were the names filed this year:

Ward 1, congressional—John T. Langford, E. O. Childs, John T. Lodge;

Ward 2, congressional—W. S. Sloane, N. H. Chadwick, C. D. Cabot, F. L. Nangle;

state—J. M. Stickney, A. P. Carter, J. F. Lthrop, R. C. Bridgman; Ward 3, congressional—G. H. Bond, S. W. Manning, J. B. Langley, and G. P. Bullard; Ward 4, congressional—W. E. Fiske, Fred Johnson, Quincy Pond, and E. A. Hazen; Ward 5, congressional—G. E. Hardy; Ward 6, congressional—G. H. M. Bacon, F. A. Connor, T. White; Ward 6, congressional—E. C. Kelley, W. M. Flanders, John P. Tenney, Irving C. Paul; state—A. L. Harwood, W. E. Webster, A. D. Claffin, R. H. Gardner; Ward 7, congressional—D. W. Farquhar, Mitchell Wing, A. M. Ferris; state—Samuel L. Powers, T. Weston, Sr., and N. C. Whittaker.

Horse Dashes Into Barber Shop.

The lives of half a dozen people were endangered Wednesday afternoon, by the frantic actions of a horse in one of the most sensational and peculiar runaway accidents that has occurred in this city. As a result of the affair three people were badly shaken up, two others terribly frightened, and a

plate glass window valued at \$75, completely wrecked. Other property was also damaged. Shortly after 3, as a carriage owned by Maj. W. F. Lawrence of West Newton, and occupied by Mr. W. H. Pease and Miss M. Dame, then forming, handling the reins, was passing through Newtonville square, the horse became frightened at an automobile. Mr. Dame was unable to control the animal and immediately it started at a mad gallop down Washington street towards Newton.

Every vehicle in the path gave the horse and carriage a wide berth, the electricians pulling up and down the Washington street, and several horses up either than increase the horse's madness. Everything was excitement, but pandemonium developed when the horse reached Nonantum block.

Burke caught the horse by the head but was completely carried off its feet. Still managing to hold on, he dragged more than ten yards. Not until the horse plunged through the window of Julius Jacobson's barber shop did the officer let go.

The crash of the glass was the only warning that Jacobson and a customer named Jennings, had of the horse's presence. Jennings leaped from the chair and with Jacobson ran to the rear of the store. They were not a moment too soon. In another instant Burke had struck the barber's chair and almost demolished it. Other furniture, including a toilet rack, was wrecked by the horse.

The horse managed to free itself from the coupe as it struck the window frame. Mr. Dame and Miss Dame were thrown out. Later, both explained they were uninjured though badly shaken up. Mr. Jacobson and his customer required several minutes to recover from their fright. Patrolman Burke was none the worse for his experience, but the horse was badly cut by the broken glass.

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## THE LEGISLATURE.

[Special Legislative Correspondence.]

Boston, April 4, 1900.

Notwithstanding the vicissitudes of legislation, Representative Langford continues to plead for direct caucus nomination for public officers and Representative Chadwick for simplification of caucus laws. Both are right. The caucus act is going to take up a very large portion of the new public statutes when the commission now consolidating and arranging them reports next January, and if that commission succeeds in getting them into anything like harmony, it will do much better than anybody expects at the present time. Somebody committed a great error of judgment that he did not seize the opportunity this year afforded to upset and redraw the whole election statute in the direction of simplicity. It has got to be done, sooner or later, and when the time comes the average citizen will wonder that so cumbersome an enactment was allowed to stay on the statute-books so long.

The effort to bring down the civil service bill will, of course, probably the petitioners expected nothing more. If they gain one point they will be more than pleased. They would like to have the law amended so that the appointing power may nominate any person on the eligible list. They say that this could in no way injure the law; that every name on the eligible list has the certificate of the examiners as to qualifications; but of course the idea is not agreed to. The purpose of the system as it stands. Amid the certificates to the worth of the system as at present administered, put in by Counsel Wellman of the civil service board last week, was this:

Boston, Mar. 24, 1900.

Hon. Arthur H. Wellman.

Boston.

Dear Sir:—I start for the West today and shall therefore be unable to attend the hearing on Tuesday. I want to apologize for the attempts now being made to injure, or destroy, our civil service laws. I am not a doctrinaire. An actual experience of five years with the law and its operations in the City of Newton has proved to me its great value. During my terms of service as alderman, in which time I was chairman of the committee on highways and president of the board, as well as during the time that I was mayor, I was a rough and tumble fellow with the clerical and labor forces of the city. It was then, and it now is, the consensus of opinion of those who have had practical experience under the law, that its influence is extremely beneficial, in fact, that the law is a right law. So strongly was this believed by the committee on highways in 1894 (under whom some 400 men were employed) and by all the twenty-one members of the city council of that year, that the laboring force, so called, was brought under the provisions of the law. The result has been most satisfactory, giving an improved service from the head of the department down. My experience and observation leads me to believe that the law is not at fault, but that sometimes the local officials charged with its enforcement are; that instead of finical criticisms of the law, all citizens should unite in condemnation of those officials who seek by clever means, to evade it.

Truly yours,

HENRY E. BOTHFIELD,

Ex-Mayor of Newton.

The house accepted the adverse report of the probate and insolvency committee on the vivisection question without a single vote in opposition, the other day. This was very remarkable, considering the strong efforts of Rev. H. D. Langford and his friends before the committee. Whether it was the petitioners themselves were convinced that the friends of vivisection as practised in Massachusetts were right and they wrong, or whether the reason of the apathy was that they felt that all the progress that could be expected had been obtained through the exploitation of their views, and they must wait until some other year before making any more substantial move now. At all events, the agitation subsided much more suddenly than any body had a right to expect, considering the days devoted to hearings.

The gas investigation seemed in danger of petering out suddenly also. On Friday of last week Senator Woodsum, the chairman of the committee on manufactures, suddenly took the reins and ruled that he would permit the cross-examination of Thomas W. Lawrence, who was doing something like a blow to the petitioners, evidently, for on Monday the petitioners closed their case, without attempting to examine the various legislative agents and others who had been summoned, and who were released from further attendance. But Monday afternoon the committee went into executive session and voted, 10 to 5, to examine the books of the New England Gas and Coke company. This gave new life to the investigation. Mr. Howell of Boston met the committee five days later.

Mr. Langford began the week with hearings on the Clinton and Sterling damage cases on Monday. This is of course first cousin to the investigation movement. Judge Corcoran, alleging at the hearing that 25 per cent of the land of Clinton was taken by the water board, and that the claims for damage by loss of taxes are still unsettled. West Boylston having received an annuity of \$1,000. He is also anxious for consequential damages for damages below the dam. It is a difficult question.

The Newton members feel far more confident than the writer that when the Boston and Albany lease bill is reported it will contain a provision for the abolition of the crossings in the southern part of the city. It will certainly be a good thing if the provision is there, and I do not doubt, as I said a week ago, that careful provision will be made to secure Newton and other places on the line the right to protest the direction of the elimination of grade crossings now provided in the general law; but there is small doubt the lease already safeguards the city in this direction, so that the provision, unless it is direct in its nature, will not materially alter the bill.

There was a gentle surprise party on Monday afternoon when the house substituted for the adverse report of the committee on railroads a bill to provide that the entire expense of grade crossing separations shall be borne by the railroads. What does Newton think of that? Not to give away one of the Newton members too much, it may be remarked that probably nobody was more astonished than Representative Langford, who himself had an idea of modifying the grade crossings act, but who expected to meet opposition rather than a single word of opposition. It would upset the whole order, and perhaps prevent the elimination of a single new crossing. There is a lot to say about this question, and small room to say it. Perhaps when a bill is offered by Mr. Langford in place of the adverse report on the Hyde Park petition, which he has upon the table, it will be possible to discuss this matter. Suffice it now to say that possible Mr. Mellen of West Boylston was right when he said years over the last in the Commonwealth is getting the bad end of it in these grade separations. Cities may gain in taxable property, as well as in safety; railroads may gain in improved facilities; was notable the case in Brockton, and to some extent at least in Newton. Nobody loses, except the treasury of the Commonwealth.

The committee on Public Service has reported a bill increasing the salary of the members of the railroad commission to \$5000 for the chairman and \$4,500 for the other members. Congratulate Commissioner Bishop.

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## THE LABOR IDEAS OF RUSKIN.

By Rev. R. Heber Newton, D.D.

Ruskin translated the terms of political economy from the language of things to the language of life. Wealth he found not in the accumulation of things, but in the accumulation of things useful for life. Life is the essential thing in political economy as in art. "There is no wealth but life, including all its powers of love, of joy, and of admiration. That country is the richest which nourishes the greatest number of noble and happy beings; that man is richest who having performed the functions of his own life to the utmost, has also the widest influence, both personal and by means of his possessions, over the lives of others."

At the beginning of his constructive system he placed the State's restriction of marriage. "The beginning of sanitary and moral law is in the regulation of marriage." He would have every citizen well born.

Then he would have every citizen well educated. By education, however, he meant a somewhat revolutionary conception of the work that we thus name. He would have the State provide in a most munificent fashion for the education of its children—not a poor education for the children of the poor, but the most generous education for the children of the State. School-houses are to be models of beauty and adorned and filled with treasures of art, as the true picture galleries.

The curriculum which he prescribes all leads up to the development of life and to the development of the highest form of life—character. "You do not educate a man by telling him what he knew not, but by making him what he was not."

Then he would have labor organized in the most thorough fashion. Work is to be found for all, and all are, through a right education, to be fitted for work, and then all are to be forced to work. There are to be no cultured idlers and there are to be no untrained bunglers.



REV. HEBER NEWTON.

Co-operative associations commend themselves but slightly to him. Shops and factories are to be established under government to maintain high standards of work, which will thus force private enterprise up to the government standards.

He was no thorough-going democrat, but believed in an aristocracy of his own fashion, the different classes of which, however, were to be all salaried from the State, none of them receiving the "profits" of our present capital nor the "rents" of land as in our present system. His ideal looked forward to a genuine collectivism; the control of the means of production by the State for the people as the ultimate ideal.

## HIGH-FLAVORED BUTTER.

"High-flavored butter" is a term used in what is called a gilt-edged grocery store in New York City.

The writer asked the liberty of inspecting the butter. It was a pure gold in color, quite firm, though not of rock-like hardness, but from its depth it emitted a sweet odor which was most delightful. It sold for eighty cents per pound, done up in packages of one pound of a pound and a half. The package stamp with the name of the maker.

On inquiry it was found that this very expensive butter was worth more from the producer's standpoint than the ordinary butter. It actually cost more to make it. Cows are cows, you will say, and can eat only just so much. But there are other points.

The barn in which these cows were kept was no barn at all, but a building especially constructed for the animals. Their floor was of sand renewed daily, and in the whole structure there was no odor.

Each day the cows were fed at regular hours in certain amounts, and the food was varied. Hay was, of course, included, but there was the best of meal made into the finest of mush, good enough for a person to eat, so it seemed.

On pleasant days the cows were allowed to sun themselves in an open barnyard, but on other days they took their exercise in an addition to the stable, a yard and a dirt floor.

The milking took place at regular hours, and after the milk was set in the perfectly sweet porcelain pans, was never disturbed until it had gathered by slow process all its cream upon the top.

Everything about the churning was managed with a special regard for cleanliness and sweetness; for milk and cream and butter take up odors quickly. The cream was churned in a sweet state and was slightly turned, but by no means sour.

If, after the churning, it was not as yellow as the market required, a very small portion of vegetable coloring matter was added and carefully worked through and through the butter. This addition of color is a pleasing touch and may, if properly done, be as harmless as the addition of a crushed strawberry to lemonade, or a drop of coffee to corn starch. A few small fangs of sugar are for the impatient woman with no end of engagements on her hands and very little time to fill them, may be had in a string fastened to the lower clasp. A single pull, and the glove seems to open of its own volition.

## DO YOU KNOW WHAT YIDDISH IS?

By Israel Zangwill.

Yiddish is a lingual patchwork stretched on a frame of bad German. The corruption of both pronunciation and grammatical form varies with the locality. Since Germany is bordered by many countries wherein Jews reside, this dialect has naturally diffused itself among the Jews in all of them. It may be said roughly that Yiddish is the language of the Jews of Europe. In one respect regard it as being more civilized than classic German, for it does not worry about the infinitives and declensions of the three genders.

In defense, moreover, of the apparent corruption of the German it may be said that it is only within a century or so that German itself has become rigid and classical, and this under the guidance of pedantic grammarians and writers rather than as a spontaneous outcome of the life of the people.

Thus Yiddish may partly represent an earlier geological stratum of German before that language had crystallized to the rigidity of to-day. To this original stock Yiddish has added a wealth of idiomatic expressions and proverbs drawn from its own peculiar experiences in the various Ghettos of the world; from the odd incidents and odd characters which the Ghetto produced. Some of the proverbs could only be understood by Jews, others are universal in character, such as: "When is a hunchback overjoyed? When he meets another hunchback." Or, "Loud drumming in front and no soldiers behind." The "yid" is a man, perhaps rarely honest: "Nine-tenths cannot make a congregational quorum, but ten tailors can." The tailor, instead of being a ninth part of a man, is a full member of the brotherhood of Israel, while even the rabbis cannot count as more than one. How vividly this emphasizes the absence of priesthood.

In addition the original Yiddish vocabulary has been greatly enriched by words drawn from every language with which the wandering Jews came into contact. Hebrew has, of course, always been the chief source of these extra supplies, for naturally a number of characteristic social and religious circumstances could only find expression in the words and phrases of ancient tract.

In New York, of course, there is a large proportion of English words in the Yiddish of common use. But, whatever language Yiddish draws from, it squeezes all of the borrowed expressions into German modes as egotistically as the French language modulates and pronounces everything it borrows, a la Francaise.

The most comical grammatical forms result from this distortion of foreign grammar. For instance, there is one Hebrew word which means "the who says." This has been made into a Yiddish verb to express the act of offering money to the synagogue, and when it is conjugated into the past tense, as if it



ISRAEL ZANGWILL.

## DO YOU KNOW THESE DICTIONARY GIRLS?

A disagreeable girl—Annie Mosley.

A sweet girl—Carrie Mel.

A very pleasant girl—Jennie Rosity.

A smooth girl—Amelia Ration.

A seedy girl—Cora Ander.

A clear case of girl—Lucy Date.

A nervous girl—Esther Icael.

A geisha girl—Polly Gon.

Not orthodox—Hettie Roxody.

One of the best girls—Ella Gant.

A flower girl—Rhoda Dendron.

A musical girl—Sarah Nade.

A star girl—Mita Ori.

A clinging girl—Jessie Mine.

An uncertain girl—Eva Nescient.

A sad girl—Ella G.

A warlike girl—Milie Tary.

## CORRECT SPRING GLOVES.

Only heavy lace kid gloves are worn by the girl who understands and appreciates the demands of the fashionable tailor gown. The newest street glove is heavily stitched, and the favorite colors are dull, brownish red for morning and the pastel shades for evening. The chief novelty of the spring glove lies in the manner of its fastening.

The tiny buttons of former days are replaced by large pearl ones as ten-cent pieces. A few wavy fangs of sugar are for the impatient woman with no end of engagements on her hands and very little time to fill them, may be had in a string fastened to the lower clasp. A single pull, and the glove seems to open of its own volition.

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CITY AND COUNTRY DOGS.

There is a marked difference between city and country dogs. A city dog turned loose in a pasture lot moves along, paying no attention to the birds and other animals around it but a country dog turned free in a city street, after the temporary embarrassment that confounded folks always feel, observes the sparrows to be unusually tame and numerous.

Then comes a dog of a different breed, and the country dog, for the impatience woman with no end of engagements on her hands and very little time to fill them, may be had in a string fastened to the lower clasp. A single pull, and the glove seems to open of its own volition.

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THE LAUGHING PLANT.

Among curious plants one of the most notable has been discovered recently in Arabia, where it is known by the natives as the "laughing plant." It does not do any laughing itself, as might be inferred from its title, but it causes whosoever eats its seeds to break out into fits of the most uncontrolled and immoderate mirth.

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## Lasell Notes.

On the evening of the 9th, at 7.30, will occur the pupils' musical rehearsal for the closing term.

On Saturday evening, April 7, the Fiske Jubilee Singers are to give a concert, under the auspices of the Canoe Club of the seminary.

Dr. Winslow's lecture on Friday evening was well received, and aroused considerable interest in the subject, "Electricity." The proceeds were devoted to the cause of missions, which was in the ascendant then.

On Saturday evening the symphony party considered themselves especially fortunate in having the opportunity to hear Bremer.

Miss Clara Cushman's Sunday morning mission talk to the school on the Chinese women and their needs was of marked interest and value. Miss Cushman, having been, herself, missionary in that field, speaks that whereof she knows. She illustrated her remarks by various Chinese articles which served to make the lecture part of an object lesson.

The Rev. Henry G. Spaulding's Thursday evening lecture on "The Life of the Virgin in Art" was finely illustrated by stereopticon views. It was a comprehensive and scholarly presentation of a decidedly interesting subject.

The Lasell young women of the seminary missionary society, gave on Saturday last, a corridor party in behalf of the mission cause. Each of the rooms on one hall was arranged and decorated to represent some country where mission work is done, these were well done, seeing, since the displays, ecclesiastics from various countries, represented girls in costume at the various booths inside, pictures, and certain realistic landscape effects of a convincing and very picturesque sort, they were made uniquely attractive and quite fairly representative.

Italy, Tu, Africa, China, Japan, India, Mexico, Greenland, Alaska, and the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands, with Cuba and Porto Rico, were to be seen, besides the Missionaries room, the Gypsy Fortune Teller's room, and the North American Indian room. The "Gypsies" imposing in black net, lace mantles, spangles and jewelry, and did a merry trade;

the North American Indian gleamed and glowed at you from a vivid scarlet background, in uncounted pictures wherein he was to be seen in all sorts of costume and equipment, while nearby were various bowls and other utensils from his wigwam, relieved by a wall hung with brightly colored Indian pictures, and in a corner General Custer's sword? suggested a bright and glittering, and suggesting "sword drill" in the gymnasium. Hatchet and scalps alone were wanting. In the statistic room sundry maps and recently prepared charts were hung conspicuously about; the treasurer, pres. tem., presided, and took care of a mob of mite-boxes on the table. The hall was decorated from end to end with gay bunting, and in the various rooms good-wives to be had for pennies, niches, dimes, which at the end of the hall stood a fancy work table, the many wares of which were contributed by the girls and their teachers, and sold by entering young saleswomen, who so effectively lured the unwary passers-by that they disposed of their entire stock for no less gratifying a sum than fifteen dollars. The goodies? Well, Turkey sold peanut candy, in the golden glamor of a yellow light; Greenland, in fetching little boughs, a snow-hut overlaid with green pine boughs, (the entire room was pine decked) and like a snow-dome, a green raspberry frappe, as did her totem, surrounded by mighty drifts of snow, with ice bergs looming up around, and ensconced in her snow built cabin, under the cold white light of the polar star. In the room of "Our Foreign Possessions" they sold sandwiches, and olives, of course, and the vendors were especially proud of their costumes, their native jewelry, and their embroidery. In the room of the "Gypsies" a gaudy, over-attatched hat that elicited such admiration and wonder during the evening. In Japan and China, nuts and popcorn were to be had from Chinese and Japanese ladies, and the array of curiosities was surprising. One of the most noteworthy was one of the signs once posted in Japan against Christians and Christianity. This, as so many others of the curios, was lent for the occasion by a returned missionary, and was genuine. It was a small, dark, lighted lantern, with a string of beads

## NEWTON FREE LIBRARY.

## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Baker, Theodore. Biographical Dictionary of Musicians. 96.498

Barrow, Elizabeth N. The Fortune of War. 65.1144

A story of the American Revolution.

Conscience and War. Le Gentilhomme Favre. 43.195

Couch, Arthur T. Quiller. Historical Tales from Shakespeare. 54.1305

Contents: Coriolanus, Julius Caesar, King John, Richard II., Henry IV., Henry V., Henry VI., and Richard III.

Davis, H. W. Carles. Charlemagne (Charles the Great): The Hero of Two Nations. 93.799

"I have endeavored," the author says, "to give some idea of the first western Emperors' personality, and influence upon European history."

Ely, Richard T. Monopolies and Trusts. 83.256

A small part of a large work, "The Distribution of Wealth." Prof. Ely has been at work upon during the past seven years.

Friedman, I. K. Poor People. 65.1156

A story dealing with tem- timent life in Chicago.

Gerard, Dorothea. One Year. 65.1148

A story with its scene laid among the Polish aristocracy of East Galicia.

Greene, Robt. H. Healthy Exercise. 101.984

In three parts. Pt. 1. Theory of exercise, baths and bathing. Pt. 2. Choices of an Exercise; Pt. 3. Exercises, including walking, running, golf, bicycling, etc.

Hamlin, Chas. Eugene. Life and Times of Hannibal Hamlin. 97.475

Holden, Edw. S. Stories of the Great Astronomers: Conversations with a Child. 102.874

In a series of biographies from Thales to the present day, the progress of astronomical ideas is unfolded.

Hume, Martin Andrew Sharp. Modern Spain, 1788-1808. (Story of the nations series.) 72.437

"This is a story of a nation during a century of struggle upward out of the abyss into which despotism and bigotry had cast it." Internat.

Jekyll, Gustave. Home and Garden: Notes and Thoughts, Practical and Critical of a Worker in both. 105.582

Kingsley, Geo. Henry. Notes on Sport and Travel; with a Memoir by his Daughter, Mary H. Kingsley. 35.418

The writer is brother of Chas. and Henry Kingsley. Miss Kingsley's memoir follows her father's travels through the United States, Canada and the South Seas.

McMaster, John Bach. History of the People of the United States. Vol. 5, 1821-30. 74.124

Mason, Alfred Edw. W. and Lang, Andrew. Parson Kelly. 65.1142

A portion of a series of the early days of George Washington.

Persons, Eleanor A. Our Country in Poem and Prose; arranged for Collateral and Supplementary Reading. 53.655

Richards, Ellen Henrietta. The Cost of Living modified by Sanitary Science. 102.875

Mrs. Richards is instructor in sanitary science in Mass. Inst. of Technology.

Spearman, Frank H. The Nerve of Foley, and other Railroad Stories. 65.1155

Stickney, Albert. The Transvaal Outlook. 76.300

A monograph on the Boer war by an ex-soldier who is strongly pro Boer in his sentiments. The first part of the paper was written before Jan.

Storey, Moorfield. Charles Sumner. (Amer Statesman.) 91.1042

Warner, Francis. The Nervous System of the Child; its Growth and Health in Education. 103.786

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## A Good Candidate.

(From the Cambridge Chronicle)

Mr. Samuel L. Powers, of Newton, is a prominent candidate for the republican nomination to congress from his district.

Mr. Powers has the qualities of leadership which make men effective in public bodies.

He is a strong, earnest, influential man, wherever he is put, and the district will secure a good representative if it gets him.

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Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new drink that takes the place of coffee.

The children and young people like it well, as the adults will try it like it.

GRAIN-O has that rich seal of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee, 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

## ODE TO THE HURDY GURDY.

The following poem was left at the GRAPHIC office with a request for publication:

Weeks have gone and we've not heard it.

For its notes have been suppressed, Mr. Tarbox put his foot down, And his "copers" did the rest. "What's the reason?"

came the query, "Too much noise" the children reply. "We have tried to make the grange turn, say these dagoes are too noisy." Children learned it all with sadness, And their mothers cried "Tis wrong. We shall miss these hurdy gurdies With their 'coons" and other songs."

"Twas a sad blow to the dagoes, but they knew it had to be. Though they pleaded, no one heeded, And each dago cried "Ah, me."

Then 'twas told these street misleads, That at last the grange did Large and small.

Kingsbury. Who could give permits to grange. Then these dagoes, on their tiptoes, Sought him for an interview. "We would'a like'a to play'a de music And de p'leman'a say see you." "This may help you" spoke the colonel, "It's the only thing to do, Scribble on these applications, And I'll try and get them through." Well in time the city fathers, That the dagoes ought to grange, and made a special privilege. Certainly they all should pay. Fifty cents a head per annum. Starting from the first of May. That's the story and the sequel, Telling of the dagoes fate, So you see for outdoor music, One more week we've got to wait.

## In the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few days ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.

The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

## GOOD WORK IN THE MANUAL.

INDOOR DRILL OF THE NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL BATTALION. MEDALS ARE AWARDED TO R. MCLELLAN AND CORP. PHILIP HASBROOK.

The annual indoor drill of the Newton High school battalion was held Saturday afternoon in the school armory on Walnut street, Newtonville. The drill was witnessed by over 400 spectators, including parents and friends of the boys, officers from the other school battalions and the principal and teachers of the school.

The exhibition was one of the best ever given by the battalion, the various maneuvers being full of snap. Credit is due Capt. Ernest R. Springer, the military instructor, for the good showing made. The drill commenced at 2:30 o'clock, the assembly and company inspection being followed by the customary setting-up exercises by the entire battalion. An innovation was the bugle drill, in which a series of rhythmic movements were introduced.

Following in order came the drill of the signal squad and artillery squad. As usual, the drill of the latter was interesting and won much applause. These detachments were commanded by Lieut. H. Moore and Sergt. S. S. Holmes, respectively.

The members of the battalion were the competitive drills for the Howard and Fiske medals. The first was contested by the junior squad, composed of 10 men, commanded by Lieut. F. S. Marshman. The senior squad, which was in the field for the Fiske medal, was commanded by Adj't D. H. Reese. The men of each squad were given two trials, the prize winners being picked from those remaining after the award of prizes. The prizes were distributed by Chairman Frank T. Benner of the school board, as follows:

First junior prize (Howard medal), R. McLellan; honorable mention, R. C. Ashenden and J. G. Van Norman. First senior prize (Fiske medal), Corp. Philip Hasbrook; honorable mention, Corp. Harold Daniels and Corp. Roy Atwood.

The judges were Lieut. H. Moore, First Adj't. D. H. Reese, Sergt. Maj. L. Davis, Quartermaster Sergeant J. Mudge.

C. G. Frost, Captain E. H. Andrews, First Lieutenant H. O. Hunt, Second Lieutenant G. S. S. Holmes, and Maj. Ballard of the 5th regiment, M. V. M. Lieut. H. M. Andrews was the officer of the day. After the drill the floor was cleared, and dancing was enjoyed for several hours.

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Agent for THE GRAPHIC, and receives subscriptions and makes collections for it. He also makes terms for advertising, hand bills, and all other kinds of printing. Also, Real Estate to sell and to rent, and insurance against fire to the English and American companies.

## NEWTON CENTRE.

—Dr. Taylor will preach on Sunday at the Methodist church.

—Mr. D. W. Brownell of Centre street is serving on the jury this week.

—Mr. W. O. Knapp of Warren street has recovered from his recent illness.

—Mrs. Dr. Harris of Providence, R. I., is at Mrs. Thorpe's, Pelham street.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris of Oxford road left on Saturday for a visit in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson of Bullard street returned from the South this week.

—Mr. A. L. Whittemore and family have moved to Walnut street, Newton Highlands.

—Mr. Stanley Barton of Trowbridge street has recovered from his recent illness.

—Mr. Walter Bullen of New London, N. H., is visiting his parents on Ripley terrace.

—Rev. W. N. Donovan will occupy the pulpit at the First Baptist church on Sunday.

—Mr. C. C. Ruggles and family of Ballard street have returned after an extended absence.

—Mr. Walter B. Nye has taken a lease of the Chandler estate on Suffolk road, Chestnut Hill.

—Mr. G. W. Cobb and family of Pleasant street are boarding at the Pelham house for the season.

—Stylish stocks for stunning summer girls at St. John's fair, Newtonville, April 17 and 18.

—Mr. and Mrs. Havens of Summer street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Dr. J. W. Mott and family of Boston have moved this week into the Chase house on Parker street.

—Mrs. Charles Tambeau has returned from Fitchburg, where she was called by the illness of her brother.

—Mr. Charles J. Polley of Pelham street has moved to Weymouth, where he has purchased a wheelwright business.

—Rev. F. B. Hornbrook of Newton will preach at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning, exchanging with the pastor.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Andrews of Lake avenue have returned from Pinehurst, N. C. Mr. Andrews is much improved in health.

—Miss Clementina Butler of Crescent avenue is receiving and forwarding subscriptions for the relief of the famine in India.

—Mr. C. W. Ransom and family, who have been spending the winter in Boston, have opened their house on Commonwealth avenue.

—The many friends of Mr. P. E. Ellis, who is ill in the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, will be pleased to learn that he is improving in health.

—Buy Easter plants and flowers of Freeman & Fletcher, 12 Charles street, Auburndale. Eight greenhouses. Order early, get a good selection and avoid the rush.

—A meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society was held on Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. "Rangoon" was the subject of the afternoon's discussion.

—At the annual meeting of the Letter Carriers' Association, held at West Newton on Monday evening, Mr. M. J. Barry of Clinton place was reelected president.

—An alarm from box 74 was rung in at 11:05 Monday morning for a serious brush fire on vacant land off Beacon street which was extinguished by members of engine company 3.

—Newton Centre people will find it particularly easy to attend St. John's fair at Newtonville, April 17 and 18, as the electric cars run directly by Temple hall, Masonic building, where the fair is to be held.

—Mr. John H. Lesh has purchased of Emily M. Smith the estate at the southwest corner of Beacon and Laurel streets, comprising a large frame house and 17,000 feet of land.

—The funeral of Mr. Louis H. W. Isenbeck, a well known resident of Chestnut Hill, was held from the residence of his son, Mr. Ernest G. A. Isenbeck on Beacon street, last Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. A large number of relatives and family friends were present.

—Four Monday morning musicals are being given under the direction of Mrs. Aspinwall at the Chestnut Hill Club house. Among the prominent subscribers are Mrs. Alanson Bigelow, Jr., Mrs. John Lowell, Mrs. Charles A. Morris, Mrs. Frank B. Beams, Mrs. James Reed, Miss Tilton, Miss Bates.

—There was a large attendance at the song recital given by Mr. Franklin L. Wood in the parlors of the Unitarian church last evening. The program was one of even excellence, given by Mr. Wood and these assisting artists: Mrs. Louise Bruce Brooks, contralto and Mrs. Gertrude Dennis, violinist. Mr. Norman McLeod was the accompanist.

—Mrs. Susan E. Parker, widow of Jonathan Parker, and the only sister of the late Dr. S. F. Smith, died last week in Roxbury. She was the oldest member of the Warren Avenue Baptist church. Funeral services were held from her late residence on Rockland street, Roxbury, Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, and were conducted by Rev. Albert H. Plumb, D. D.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for B. D. Barrows, Mary Campbell, Fairmount avenue, Arthur Curry, Cliff road, J. J. Fisher, 24 Pearl street, Mrs. J. S. Fenno, Angelo Garofalo, E. P. Keahy, Mrs. Anna Kennedy, Harry W. Moody, Mrs. S. J. Sherman, S. K. Smith, J. Taylor, Nicola del Vecchio, E. de W. Wales, William Warren, Jackson street.

—Rev. Dr. H. P. Dewey of the South Congregational church in Concord, N. H., has been called to succeed Rev. Dr. Storts as pastor of the First church of Newton. He has been ill with pneumonia, but is now much better, and although the call is a great compliment, he will not decide until he has had time to visit Brookline.

—There was a pleasant gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stearns last Saturday evening it being the 50th anniversary of their wedding. There were many relatives and friends present, among whom were Mrs. Wm. Hosmer of Chester, Vt., a sister of Mr. Stearns, also Mrs. Jesse Hosmer, a niece, of the same town, Mr. Walter Stearns, a nephew from Worcester and Mr. John Bean of Charles-ton.

—Sunday evening, April 8, the Hale union of the Unitarian church will listen to an address by Rev. E. Horton, one of the most prominent clergymen of the country. Mr. Horton is also one of the busiest, and feeling that he only made this appointment at considerable sacrifice the Hale union wishes to show its appreciation by greeting the speaker with as large an audience as possible. All will be most cordially made welcome.

—The death of Mrs. Eliza H. Pierce occurred Wednesday afternoon after a short illness at the home of Mr. C. W. Gardner of Pleasant street. The deceased was born in 1802, and was Mrs. Gardner's grandmother. Funeral services were held this afternoon at Mrs. Gardner's home in charge of Prof. Rush Kees of the Newton Theological Seminary. The burial will be at

Troy, New York, to which place the remains will be taken tomorrow.

—Mr. Joseph Allison, who has been ill at his home on Maple park is improving.

—Mrs. Dothard of Langley road is improving from an attack of pneumonia.

—Mrs. George Perkins, who has been ill at her home on Cypress street, is recovering.

—For Easter — Elegant fern, with jardine, only 50 cts. Freeman & Fletcher, Auburndale.

—Mrs. Alexander Montgomery, who has been ill with the grip, at her home on Warren street, is improving.

—A regular meeting of the Children's Missionary Society was held at the First church last Friday afternoon.

—Mrs. Carrie E. Pratt of Institution avenue, who has been visiting her sister in North Easton, returns home this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Copeland of Grey Cliff road have returned from Thomaston, Maine, where they were called last week by the death of a relative.

—At the Methodist church last Tuesday evening, a very successful social was held under the auspices of the Epworth League. A pleasing feature was a chafing dish lunch.

—Rev. George H. Spencer, pastor of the Methodist church, and Mr. William M. Fladern, lay delegate, are in Fitchburg this week, attending the annual Methodist conference.

—At the residence of Mrs. Frederic T. Parker, Devon road, last Wednesday evening, a musical was held under the auspices of the Wednesday Club. There was a large attendance, and an artistic program was presented.

—The funeral of Mr. Stephen Merrill was held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edward W. Howe on Norwood avenue, last Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Raymond F. Holway, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church, Charlestown, and the interment was in Lynn.

—Wilson Erskine, '00, a carpenter, was working on a new house on the Lowell estate, Chestnut Hill, about 10 o'clock yesterday morning when he missed his footing and fell from a staging to the ground, a distance of 10 feet. Erskine sustained severe injuries to his head and back. He was taken to the Newton hospital in the police ambulance.

—The annual meeting of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, composed of many leading south side society women, was held yesterday at Bray hall. The annual reports of the various branches were received, after which these officers were elected: Mrs. George M. Boynton, president; Mrs. Samuel A. Shannon, first vice-president; Mrs. E. T. Taylor, second vice-president; Mrs. J. A. Cole, recording secretary; Mrs. C. M. Goddard, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William Byers, treasurer; Miss Ann Ellis, auditor.

## NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Miss Betts from New Haven is the guest of Miss Alice Allen.

—Lawn dressing and all kinds of garden seeds at Sherman's Hardware Store.

—Mr. J. N. B. Sherman has commenced a stable on his land on Floral avenue.

—Miss Mellen is at her home on Fisher avenue from Smith College on vacation.

—The Monday Club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Shaw, Floral avenue.

—The West End Literary Club will meet on Monday with Mrs. King, Lake avenue.

—The Shakespeare Club will meet with Miss Harvey, Hyde street, Saturday afternoon.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7:30.

—Mrs. Webster of Chester street, who has been a long time ill, remains in about the same condition.

—Mrs. Luitwieler, who has been confined at home for two or three weeks on account of illness, has now recovered.

—Rebekah Lodge installed four candidates at their last meeting. Their new paraphernalia was in evidence.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Miss Belle McCleary, James McPheerson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stuart.

—Mrs. Frank B. Fletcher and her daughter of Harrison street are spending the week with friends in Stoneham.

—The annual meeting of All Souls Unitarian church will take place this evening, at the residence of Mr. F. W. Manson.

—The alarm from box 62 at 12:10 yesterday noon, was for a brush fire on the Crane river on Dunleech street. Damage slight.

—Miss Bertha O'Connor, who went to Washington in the teacher's excursion, last week, will return at the end of the week.

—New up-to-date chairs have been put in the Congregational chapel to take the place of the settees and chairs formerly in use.

—The death of Mrs. E. Gott occurred on Tuesday, after a protracted illness. The funeral service was at her late residence this afternoon.

—The Matinee Club postponed their meeting this week on account of the death of Mrs. Gott. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Eaton.

—The Methodist church closes its year very happily, \$2400 have been secured towards its debt, and this is to be increased to \$3000 very soon.

—Rev. Mr. Havens and Deacon George May were the delegates to attend the installation of Rev. Mr. Davis, at the Central church, Newtonville.

—The Sussman estate on Chester street, which has been for sale for several years, has been sold to Mr. Bowen. Mrs. Robinson is now the occupant.

—The A. F. Hayward Memorial Club will meet next Monday evening when tickets will be issued to the readings to be given by Harvard Students, April 16th.

—The C. L. S. C. will hold their next meeting on Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. Peter Clark on Upland road, Brookline, Take 1:29 electric car on Boylston street.

—Mr. Joseph A. Ryan of Boylston street, who was one of those injured at the fire works explosion at Upper Falls, and was taken to the Newton hospital, has now returned to his home.

—Wedding invitations are out to the marriage of Miss Stella Converse and Mr. Sanford E. Thompson to take place at the Congregational church on Wednesday, April 18th.

—Episcopalians are taking an especial interest in the fair to be given at Newtonville April 17 and 18 for the benefit of the land fund of St. John's church in that village.

—The residents of Oak Hill interested in the little church in that village, enjoyed a graphophone entertainment last evening, the benefit of their church fund by Mr. E. H. Corey of the Highlands.

—The monthly sociable of the Congregational society was held in the Congregational on Wednesday evening, and was in charge of the young ladies. A graphophone entertainment was given by Mr. Ernest E. Fawkes, which was very satisfactory.

—Mr. J. H. Wentworth has sold his estate at the corner of Lincoln street and Dieckerman road, to Mr. F. L. Porter, who occupies the Crosby house on Woodward

street. Mr. Porter, at one time, occupied the house he has now purchased, and will soon remove to same.

—Rev. Dr. Gallagher, associate principal of Lasell Seminary, will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday evening at 7:30. The Sunday school will meet as usual at 12 m. The morning service will be omitted on account of the session of the annual conference at Fitchburg.

## AUBURNDALE.

For other Auburndale items see page 3.

—Miss Martha Dutton is ill this week at her home on Hancock street.

—B. Wilfred McKean of Peabody has entered the employ of Elliot W. Keyes.

—Mr. Charles E. Sweet of Grove street returned Saturday from a several weeks' southern trip.

—Canoeists seeking handsome covers for canoes can find them at St. John's fair, Newtonville, April 17 and 18.

—Candy made from pure materials will be the only kind sold at St. John's fair, Newtonville, April 17 and 18.

—Mr. Hugh Halewood of Auburn street has moved into the cottage in the rear of the Taylor building on Auburn street.

—The annual meeting of the Newton Boat Club will be held Monday evening, April 9th, when annual reports will be read and officers elected for the coming year.

—Officer John W. Quilty, who has been ill at his home on West Pine street, returned to duty Wednesday. Mrs. Quilty has also recovered from her recent illness.

—Auburndale Lodge, 111, A. O. U. W. held a business and social meeting in Society hall, Taylor building, last Wednesday evening. Guests were present from John Eliot, Gen. Hull and Newton lodges.

## Two Police Hearings.

—Mayor Wilson and Chief of Police Tarbox held two hearings at City Hall Wednesday afternoon. Patrolman E. P. O'Halloran of division 2 was complained of for neglect of duty. The charges which were oral were dismissed.

—Patrolman Marchant of division 1 was complained of on another charge and in his case the decision was reserved.

## Executors Sale.

—Some very desirable lots of land will be sold on Saturday, April 21, at public auction.

—These lots are the Barker land on Galen, Hunt and Maple streets, just over the Newton line in Watertown. Full particulars in advertisement.

## A Card.

—We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Cough or Cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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## SOME THINGS THAT I LIKE.

By John Swinton.

I like all such things as lighten the burdens of mankind.

I like them even if they are only of temporary advantage. I like them though they may not be of a scientific character. I like them though they do not put an end to all the ills of life, and though they do not result in the transformation of the world. There is a song:

He hobbies along through the breaks and the bogs,

Mong the rocks and old logs

He hobbies along.

This seems to be the never-ending experience of the two-legged race to which we belong.

Hence I like to hear of every advance.

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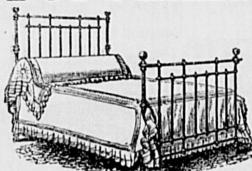
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—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. tf  
—Shirt repairing, see Blackwell's adv. tf  
—Miss A. H. Lynch is entertaining  
friends from Springfield.

—Fresh spinach only 20 cts. per peck,  
Newton Corner Market.

—Mr. David Riley has moved this week  
from Jefferson street to Pearl street.

—Mr. J. J. Rogers and family have moved  
into the Trowbridge house on Brooks  
streets.

—Miss Clara Cushman of Richardson  
street has returned from a visit to Wash-  
ington, D. C.

—Mr. W. F. Whittemore of Washington  
street is reported much improved from his  
recent severe attack of pneumonia.

—Wm. E. Pike, electrician and licensed gas-  
fitter. The only electrician having a license  
in the city. Telephone 215, Newton. tf

—Mrs. Irvine of Bath, Maine, and her  
mother, Mrs. McCobb, are the guests of  
Mrs. Maria R. Holmes of Channing street.

—Be sure and read the advertisement of  
St. John's fair at Newtonville, April 17  
and 18, to be found in our advertising  
columns.

—Mr. W. S. Gordon has opened a branch  
office of the Hartford Life Ins. Co., in Dr.  
Reid's former office in Elliot block, and ad-  
vertises for agents.

—The union meeting of the five congrega-  
tions Elliot, Grace, Channing, Emmanuel  
and Methodist at 7.30 this Good Friday  
night in Elliot church.

—You can now buy Velox Paper for  
Photo work. Also Film for Eastman  
Kodaks put up in spools for 2-6 12 exposure  
at Theo. L. Mason's, 390 Centre St. tf

—The carol singing in Grace church on  
Easter afternoon will make a very beau-  
tiful feature of the celebration of the day.  
The carols are unusually bright and melo-  
dious.

—Mr. Alfred F. Page, formerly of this  
place, has purchased the interest of Mr.  
Stevens in the photographic firm of Stevens  
& Page of Waltham, and will continue the  
business at the same location.

—If your cook has left or if you wish to  
give her a night off, don't forget that there is  
a substantial salad supper, April 17, and a  
substantial old-fashioned hot dinner, April  
18, at St. John's fair, Newtonville. The  
price for either is 35 cents only.

—The next meeting of the Social Science  
Club will be held at the Hunnewell club  
house, Wednesday, April 18, at 10 a. m.  
Speaker, Mr. F. H. Tucker. Subject, "Some  
Socialistic Principles, practically applied  
by Mayor Jones of Toledo, Ohio." Guests  
may be invited.

—The man in the Case will be presented  
in the Unitarian building, Watertown,  
Wednesday evening, April 18th, at 7.45.  
Admission, 25 cents. The Watertown High  
School Orchestra will furnish music. Dancing  
after the play from 10 to 12 o'clock.

—When Gounod's Oratorio of the Re-  
demption was sung in Grace church some  
months ago there was special interest in  
the trio: "The Lord is risen again," and  
in the solo and chorus, "From the Love as  
resurrection music from the oratorio will  
be sung on Easter night.

—The members of Sarah Hull Chapter  
D. L. will meet at the Newton Highlands  
club house, next Wednesday afternoon,  
from three until six o'clock. The guests  
will be Mrs. S. C. Cobb, Mrs. C. S. Lul-  
wiler, Mrs. G. A. Salmon, Mrs. G. A.  
Moore, Mrs. A. W. Small, Mrs. G. W.  
Cobb.

—At the recent Methodist Conference  
held in Fitchburg, Rev. George R. Grose of  
Jamaica Plain was assigned to the pastor of  
the Methodist church. Rev. C. E.  
Holmes goes to Northampton. Rev. George  
W. Mansfield of Newtonville avenue re-  
mains pastor of the church at Newton  
Lower Falls.

—Rev. Dillon Brown has been called  
west on account of the serious illness of  
his father, and the lecture he was to give  
at the Methodist church has been postponed.  
All who have bought tickets can have the  
money refunded at the church on the  
evening of April 18th, by applying to  
B. Mansfield, 287 Washington street.

—The conclusion of the entertainment  
club's second season which will take place  
next Wednesday evening in the parlors of  
the Channing church, promises one of the  
most attractive performances yet offered to  
the patrons of the club. A three-act  
entertainment entitled, "Tulu," will be given  
with a strong cast. Curtain at 8.

—Mr. Harry Brooks Day has accepted  
the position of organist and choirmaster of  
the Church of the Epiphany, Brooklyn, N.  
Y., which has a choir of women and  
men. During Lent Mr. Day has been play-  
ing week days at Calvary church, New  
York, for the noon services, and he has  
also played daily as assistant organist at  
the Church of the Ascension, on Fifth  
avenue.

—The news from the party that left Bos-  
ton on the steamer New England, Feb. 1,  
has alarmed their friends. In the party  
were Mrs. A. E. Alvord, A. G. Bartlett,  
Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. John K. Taylor, Mrs.  
Geo. Wallace, and Miss Louise R. Sherrill.  
They are in Europe. The story is set  
in the party at Naples, and there are disquieting  
rumors of small pox having broken out  
among the passengers.

—Arthur B. Morrill is to address the  
grammar school teachers today at 4.15 p. m.  
in the hall of the Cladlin school, Newton.  
Mr. Morrill's subject is "Advanced  
Reading." He is well known as the prin-  
cipal of the State Normal School at New  
Haven, Conn. He has spoken before  
Teachers' Associations and lectured before  
general audiences most acceptably for a  
number of years. He is a lecturer at Yale  
on "Pedagogy."

—The services in Grace church on Easter  
Day will be as follows: at 7.30 a. m., the  
holy communion; at 10-15 a. m., morning  
prayer, including Parker's "Amen"; "Come  
and see the place where Jesus lay" at  
12 m., the second celebration of the holy  
communion; at 3.30 p. m., carol singing  
with an address by Mr. F. W. Roberts; at  
7.30, choral even song with Gounod's  
"Amen." These two pieces with the

recitations and other parts of the  
Resurrection music. Strangers are always  
welcome.

—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac T. Burr of Park  
street have returned from their southern  
trip.

—Mrs. W. F. Lowell of Park street has  
returned from a few days stay in the south.

—Mrs. J. J. Johnson and Miss Harriet  
Johnson of Bridgewater are in town this  
week visiting friends.

—Miss Alice Mandell is home from her  
school in Vermont and is the guest of her  
brother on Pembroke street.

—Ask for "Standard" or "Tloga" butter.  
The Standard Butter Co.'s Gilt Edge Butter  
is made in Newton by G. D. Atkins.

—Miss Dora Daniels, who is supervisor  
of cooking in the schools off Hartford,  
Conn., is at home for a short vacation.

—Fresh killed turkeys, 20 cts. per pound; fowl,  
chickens, 22 cts. per pound; fowl, 15 cts.  
per pound; legs lamb, 15 cts. per pound,  
Newton Corner Market.

—An excellent display of Hubbard's fine  
line of druggs is shown in the Centre street  
window of the store. The arrangement  
was made by Chief Clerk John Crowley.

—The Library Art Club have on exhibition  
at the Newton Library until April  
30th, Shufeldt photographs of animals  
taken from life, a collection of photographs  
from the amateur photographer and twenty  
astronomical photographs loaned by the  
Harvard College Observatory.

—An interesting game of basket ball was  
played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium,  
Wednesday evening between the Gypsies of  
Newton and the Consolidated of Quincy  
and Winchester. The Gypsies won by a  
score of 16 to 12. The local team consists  
of Messrs. Greenough, Billings, Marshman,  
Porter, Noden and Belcher.

—Friends of the hurdy-gurdy players have  
put a great pressure on the license com-  
mittee of the city government so that the  
members of that body are willing these  
itinerant musicians should furnish rag-  
time to Newton residents before May 1.

When the new ordinance governing itiner-  
ant musicians on Newton's streets was  
framed, it was stated that it would not be  
possible to make it operative until the first  
of next month.

—The members of the board of aldermen are  
said to be favorable to an advancement of  
the time limit, but a final decision will not  
be reached, probably, until the meeting of  
the board of aldermen next Monday evening.

—A number of Newton people went to  
Wayland Wednesday afternoon to attend  
the wedding of Miss Anna C. Arnold, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Arnold, recently  
of Newton.</p



A tasteful appearance in dress often comes as much from good laundering as from the quality of the clothing. Good laundering requires good soap and Ivory Soap is the best.

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#### NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

MORE THAN 200 FORMER PUPILS ATTEND A RE-UNION.

A successful re-union of the Newton High School Alumni Association was held Monday evening in the High school building at Newtonville. The affair brought out more than 200 former pupils, and proved an occasion of much social importance and interest.

Shortly after 8 a business meeting was held. Reports were read and these officers were elected: Henry Whitmore '86 pres., Mrs. Arthur G. Hosmer, '86 vice pres., and Arthur W. Tarbell, '91, secretary.

Mr. Enoch C. Adams, headmaster of the High school made a brief address urging a deeper interest on the part of graduates in the school affairs. Their patronage of athletics he considered especially necessary.

Later in the drill hall dancing was enjoyed and continued until 11. Mrs. Harry D. Corey of Newton, Mrs. Edward H. Mason of Newton Centre, and Mrs. Charles A. Brown of Auburndale were the patrons.

The ushers were Mr. Fred Mather, Mr. Clifford Fitz, Mr. Charles Fitz, Mr. Isaac Dillingham, Mr. William Anders, Mr. Irving Paul, Mr. Frank Wood, Mr. Howard Hackett, and Mr. James Barnard. The floor was under the direction of Mr. A. W. Tarbell.

#### Newton Boat Club Election.

The annual meeting of the Newton Boat Club was held Monday evening at the clubhouse, Riverside. Reporters and a number of the members were present and later the following were elected: George Royal Pulsifer pres., Harry L. Burgee vice pres., Richard W. Bunting sec., Charles E. Hatfield treas., and Eugene E. Pettee captain. Arrangements will be made for Saturday evening band concerts during June and September.

#### Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It contains and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c and 25c.

#### The Indian Band.

Mr. B. F. Keith did a work more philanthropic than would at first appear in the presentation of the Indian Band at his theatre last week.

It would have delighted the heart of Helen Hunt Jackson whose "Ramona" was such an appeal for sympathy for the Indian to have seen how well appreciated by the audience were those fifty-five stalwart students from the Carlisle school of young Indians, and without any absurd mannerisms. It has generally been thought that the Indian "had no music in his soul," but that idea is shown to be a mistaken one as their chanting and the versatility displayed in the selections that ran from grave to gay proved, closing amid great applause in the spirited and loyal rendering of "The Star Spangled Banner." It is predicted that this native American band will form a unique feature of the Paris Exposition.

If troubled with rheumatics in, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm. It does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cts. A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Highlands; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

#### High School Notes.

By present indications the crew will be a decided success. So many good candidates have tried for it that it has been difficult to decide who shall constitute the crew. Among the candidates are Skelton '02, Seaver (P. G.), Kenway '01, Broad '00, Daniels '00 and Sullivan. All of these have a good show to be on it. But the crew will probably not be picked until next week. They will probably be coxswain.

The gynastic drill of the girls' battalion will be held in the drill hall Saturday afternoon, April 28th, at 3 o'clock.

Contributions however small will be gratefully received by Miss Ireson for the pictures.

"Some people just naturally can't stop being sick." "That's so, there's Bellinda; if she got bitten by a dog it would be sure to be dachshund." —Washington Star.

#### Newton Appointments.

The Methodist conference appointments for Newton are as follows:

Newton, G. R. Gross; Auburndale, W. T. Worth; Newton Centre, G. H. Spencer; Newton Highlands, T. W. Bishop; Newton Lower Falls, G. N. Mansfield; Newton Upper Falls, J. P. West; Newtonville, W. J. Thompson; Oak Hill is to be supplied by W. G. Richardson.

#### Newton Centre Real Estate.

The following are some of the spring real estate transactions in Newton Centre through the office of Alvord Bros. & Co.:

For the Mass. Baptist convention, the Heard house on Cypress street, with over 21,000 feet of land, to Dr. H. Skinner, Boylston street, Worcester, who intends to occupy the house together with his father, Prof. Skinner of the Institute of Technology, after extensive alterations have been made.

For Chas. R. White of Chicago, his estate on Parker street, corner of Ridge avenue, consisting of a frame house and about 20,000 feet of land, to E. P. Heyer of Heyer Bros. of Boston. Mr. Heyer will make improvements and occupy the house this spring.

For Chas. King, a house on Maple park, near Langley road, with 5000 feet of land, to N. D. Chase for investment.

For H. G. Chase, a lot of land of 9000 feet on the easterly side of Oxford road, to Chas. King, who will erect a handsome house.

For Fannie E. Lecompte, a lease of her large house, stable and 16,000 feet of land on Chestnut street, for a long term, to A. C. Badger of Mt. Vernon street, Boston.

Mr. Willard A. Little is erecting a handsome colonial residence for his own occupancy on the lot on the corner of Oxford and Browning roads, recently sold him by the Alvord Bros. This house will have a magnificent view over the new golf links of the Newton Centre Golf Club.

Alvord Bros. & Co. report a very largely increased demand for Newton houses and land, with a considerable diminution in the volume of new buildings projected.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Cough, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy, or by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

#### Lasell Notes.

On Saturday evening the Fiske Jubilee Singers gave, under the auspices of the Lasell Canoe Club, a concert, which was one of the most enjoyable events of the term. These singers have fine voices, finely trained, and sing with an expressiveness and a feeling that make the simple plantation songs of their program speak directly to the hearts of their audience. On the same evening the usual party attended the symphony concert, Mme. Le Royer accompanying.

The Sunday evening service at the village Congregational church was of exceptional attractiveness, the rendering of Stainer's "Crucifixion." A considerable party from the seminary attended.

The pupils' musical rehearsal of Monday evening is considered one of the best ever given. The program included compositions for the voice, violin, piano and organ, which were rendered by the young musicians, with faithfulness and spirit. Miss Priscilla White, Mr. S. Goldstein, Prof. Jas. A. Hills and Mr. H. M. Dunham, instructors respectively in the above departments, are to be congratulated on their pupils' success.

School closed today for the Easter vacation of a week, during which time some twenty-five of the pupils are to take a trip to the city of Washington, with Mr. Wm. T. Shepherd as conductor of the party.

#### The Best in the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the cold was more than half used. It is the best medicine in the world.

The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

"Monster!" exclaimed the setting hen. "Would you tear me from my unatched board?" "I would," said the fox, "and take the eggs, too, if I had an incubator."

Uncle Silas: "Statistics show that the world keeps gittin' healthier and healthier. People live longer than they did 50 or 100 years ago. Anyone can observe the fact." Aunt Silvia: "I've noticed it for a long time. It's got so that one can't pick up a paper and more without readin' about someone bein' cured and seen their picture." —Brooklyn Life.

#### Education Association Lecture.

Prof. Edw. Howard Griggs will lecture at the High school hall, Newtonville, April 19th, at 8 p. m., on "The Influence of the Parent and Teacher in Moral Education."

This lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Newton Education Association and is sure to interest the people of Newton.

Professor Griggs was for seven years professor of Applied Ethics in Leland Stanford Jr. University, and during the last fourteen months has been lecturing under the auspices of the Society for the Extension of University Teaching. He has delivered no less than 400 lectures to large audiences, who have given him a constantly increasing demand for his services, both from the general public and from teachers' organizations. He has been selected as the lecturer for next year for the Education Section of the Twentieth Century Club of Boston.

His interest is in the study of concrete human life. He has a strong sympathy with the people and a wide and sound educational knowledge, ready for the life which threaten and check the development of what is best in our own civilization.

In addition to these fundamental qualifications he possesses a strong, clear, pleasing voice, and a good platform presence, and a marvelous power of following a line of thought consistently without the use of notes, and of expressing his ideas in simple, elegant, vigorous language.

The lecture is free, and as it comes the evening of a holiday, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed." —Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

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#### Wedding at Auburndale.

Miss Lucilla Breed Knapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Knapp of Auburndale, and Mr. Henry Stewart Bosson of Newtonville were married Tuesday evening in the Hancock street Congregational church at Auburndale. The interior of the edifice was beautified with decorations of green and white, and contained a large number of representative people of this city, Boston, Lynn and Brookline.

The ceremony was performed shortly after 8 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Herrick of Boston, assisted by Rev. Charles M. Southgate, pastor of the Hancock street Congregational church.

The bride was gowned in white crepe de chene, trimmed with lace. She wore a tulie veil and carried a spray of lilies of the valley.

Miss Marion C. Bosson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. There were two little flower girls, Miss Evelyn Conner and Miss Dorothy Winchester.

Mr. Arthur G. Bosson, brother of the groom, was best man, and the following served as ushers: Nathaniel P. Breed of Lynn, John T. Allen of Boston, George H. Wilder of Hartford, Conn., George C. Dana of Brookline, Robert G. Howard of Newton, Karl Ishburgh of Melrose, A. T. S. Clay of Auburndale and Julian B. Keyes of Lowell.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, on Maple street, Auburndale. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bosson were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Knapp, Mr. W. B. Bosson and Miss Bosson.

The bride and groom left Tuesday evening on an extended tour, and will pass the summer at Marblehead. Upon their return they will make their home in this city.

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#### Burial of Mrs. James Dorney.

Mrs. James Dorney, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Newtonville, who died of pneumonia, last Friday, at her home on Frederic street, was buried at Waltham, Monday. She was 64 years of age, and spent the greater portion of her life in Newton, where she had endeared herself to all who knew her by her loving, unselfish and self-sacrificing life. She is survived by a husband and six children, two sons, John and James W., and four daughters, Mary, Sarah, Margaret and Nellie.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated at the Church of Our Lady, Newton, at 9:30 o'clock, Rev. James F. Giffilter being celebrant. The singing, under the direction of C. H. D. Murphy, was rendered by the quartet of the church, assisted by Miss Mayville, Mrs. Powers, and Miss Powers, and was most touchingly rendered by Miss Adeline Ky. He was also as was the "Pie Profundis" by Miss Powers, and "Pie Jesu" by Miss Nellie. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, among which were a pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family; a large cross of roses and lilies from Mr. and Mrs. John Dorney; a handsome wreath, with the words "Grandma" from her two little granddaughters; a large bunch of white roses, inscribed "Sister" from Miss Bridget Meehan; a standing cross of white roses and Easter lilies, from her nephews and nieces, the McElroy family; a spiral plant, from ex-Gov. Cladlin; a large bunch of Easter lilies, from Mrs. E. W. Dennis of Boston; a beautiful wreath of galax, from Mr. C. S. Dennis and Mrs. Win. H. Lucas; a large bunch of Easter lilies, from Mr. Boyle of Newton; a beautiful bunch of cat flowers from Miss Benson and her employees, and a spray of white pinks, from Miss A. E. Cunningham of Newton Lower Falls.

The pallbearers were Messrs. P. Cullen and P. McDermott of Taunton; S. and L. McElroy, J. and T. Kincheloe of Newton, all of whom were nephews of the deceased. The interment was in the family lot, Calvary cemetery, Waltham.

#### A Horrible Outbreak.

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Isbill of Morgantown, Tenn., but Buckland's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25c at all Druggists.

#### Death Statistics.

The total number of deaths in this city during March was 65. The rate for the month was 28.27 per thousand. Of the 65 deaths 28 were males and 37 females. The principal cause of death was pneumonia, of which there were 12 cases, and influenza, of which there were 8.

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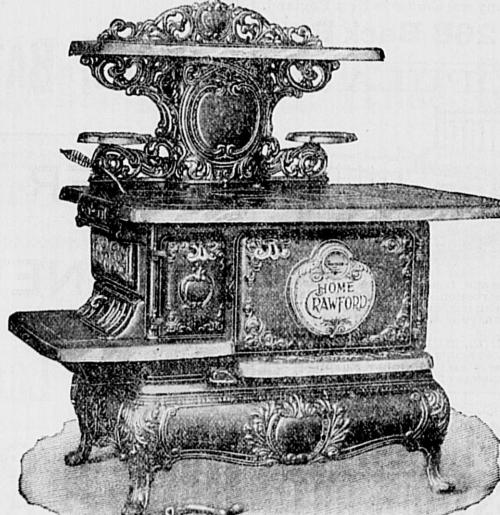
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**NEWTON.**

—Mr. James Irving of Pearl street is able to be out after his recent illness.

—Miss Edith Bielefeld is moving from Jefferson street to Newtonville avenue.

—Mrs. James Paxton of Elmwood street is able to be out after her recent illness.

—Mr. H. L. Allen and family of Hunt street have moved to Mount Vernon, N. Y.

—James Newcomb of Brighton has entered the employ of Wellington Howes.

—Mr. Fred H. Tucker of Church street has returned from his European business trip.

—Roy Thompson of Newtonville avenue is able to be out after an attack of pneumonia.

—Mr. John McAdams of Morse street is the guest of friends at Woods Hole for two weeks.

—Dr. Lincoln R. Stone is making extensive improvements to his house on Vernon street.

—Miss Estelle T. Andrews, who has been ill at her home on Wesley street, has recovered.

—Mrs. J. M. Briggs of Washington street has returned from a visit to her son in Haverhill.

—Mr. Charles G. Fitch of Charlesbank road will move soon to his future home in Rutland, Vt.

—At Eliot church next Sunday the regular Easter offering for Home Missions will be taken.

—Miss Alice Brayton of Allburgh, Vt., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. F. Black of William street.

—Miss Gertrude Mayall, who has been the guest of friends in Shirley, returned home this week.

—Rev. C. E. Holmes occupied the pulpit of the Rollstone church, Fitchburg, last Sunday morning.

—Mr. Fred A. Gay of Billings park turned the first of the week from his trip to North Carolina.

—Mr. W. J. Dimock is building a two-story dwelling house on Orchard street for his own occupancy.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Newcomb have moved from Emerson street to the McAleer house on Pearl street.

—Miss Luce has been in town this week the guest of her brother, Mr. William A. Luce of Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. H. W. Morton left Saturday for an extended stay in Mexico where he goes to establish a large shoe plant.

—Mr. W. B. Lincoln has been engaged as organist and director of the choir of the Immanuel Baptist church.

—Mrs. J. S. Summer and her daughter Miss Elizabeth T. Summer have returned from Old Point Comfort, Va.

—The Misses Jackson, who have been seriously ill at their home on Washington street, are reported improving.

—Mrs. Read of Jefferson street left this week for Bridgeport, Conn., where she will make her future residence.

—Mr. A. S. Weed of Park street has returned from Fitchburg, where he attended the annual Methodist conference.

—Extensive alterations and improvements are being made to the residence of Mr. Thomas Dana on Centre street.

—A meeting of the Neighborhood Circle will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lewis Coffin on Bellevue street.

—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wheeler, Jr., of Franklin street have returned from their trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

—At a meeting of the Melrose Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon, Mr. Pitt F. Parker will give one of his chalk talks.

—Dr. and Mrs. Monroe are in town this week the guests of Mrs. Monroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson of Willard street.

—Edwin C. Buffum, who has been visiting his home of Hollis street, returns the first of the week to his studies at Amherst College.

—Mr. J. P. Bird has re-opened his house on Sargent street, and his sister is with him having returned from her visit in Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Ensign and Mr. Sidney Ensign of Billings park leave Saturday for New York, where they will spend Easter week.

—Mr. Harris Johnnot, the electrician, has rented the front of the store 390 Centre street, Eliot block, formerly occupied by Pearson's express.

—The vested choir of Grace church will be represented at the choir festival to be held at St. Paul's church, Boston, Wednesday evening, May 23.

—Prof. Charles W. Rishell of Boston University has returned from the past week in Washington, D. C.

—The meeting to be held by the legal members of the parish of Grace church next Monday night will consider the question of the membership of women.

—Rev. E. H. Byington of Franklin street was one of the speakers at the afternoon session of the Suffolk West Conference held in Waltham, last Wednesday.

—The Eliot annual has just been issued, giving the new membership a list of deaths, marriages, church events, officers of the church and the financial condition.

—Prof. Mary W. Calkins of Bellevue street is preparing an exhibit of the psychology department of Wellesley College, to be sent to the Paris exposition.

—Miss E. P. Thurston, librarian of the Newton Free Library, will be in Providence last Friday, where she attended the spring meeting of the Massachusetts Library Club.

—The annual meeting of the parish guild of Grace church will be held next Friday evening. Reports will be presented from each of the chapters and other business will be considered.

—A meeting of the Woman's Association was held in the parlor of Eliot church Tuesday afternoon. At the home missionary meeting Mrs. Gutterson of Winchester made an interesting address.

—At the meeting held at Eliot church last Friday evening Mr. Thomas Weston was unanimously chosen deacon for six years, to fill the place made vacant by the death of Mr. Charles E. Eddy.

—Arthur W. Blakemore won the third place in the two mile run, open varsity, which was one of the events in the Harvard interclass track games held on Holmes' field, Cambridge, last Friday afternoon.

—A young people's service will be held at Grace church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The program will consist of the singing of hymns, carols and choruses, an address and the distribution of emblems.

—At the Church of Our Lady this evening Rev. Henry A. Barry will give his final evening Lenten sermon on "Prayer." This course of sermons have been of great interest and have been largely attended.

—The second annual ball of the Garden City Mutual Aid Association, composed of the employees of the Newton & Boston, Wellesley & Boston and Commonwealth avenue street railways will be held Monday evening, April 10th, in Armory hall, Music, Knowlton and Allen's orchestra.

—At the Methodist church last Sunday morning, Rev. Dr. W. E. Huntington, deacon of Boston University, a former pastor of

the church, occupied the pulpit. In the evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League, Mrs. Mary Conklin gave a missionary address.

—The delegates from Eliot church to the Suffolk West Conference held in Waltham, Wednesday, were Messrs. J. Eliot Trowbridge, Edmund J. Leeds and George Agry Jr.

—Rev. Frank B. Matthews, pastor of Immanuel Baptist church, will take possession next week of the new house he has leased on Brearome road, belonging to Mr. H. E. Bothell.

—The last sociable for the season, will be held at the Baptist church next Thursday evening. A program of tableaux and other features is being prepared under the direction of Mrs. A. A. Howe.

—The final meeting for the season of the Monday Evening Club will be held next Monday at the residence of Dr. Robert A. Reid on Hyde avenue. Mr. F. E. Stanley will make the evening address.

—Mr. Arthur W. Hollis made a success in the character part of Miss Gertrude Pipp in the Pi Eta play, "The Campaigners," given in the Pi Eta Theatre, Cambridge, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

—At a meeting of the young people's society held at the Immanuel Baptist church last Sunday evening, an interesting address was made by Dr. Ida Faye Sevenstar of a very brick engine house located near the Woodland Park Hotel.

—Miss Edna Dow will be in charge of the junior young people's meeting at the Congregational church this afternoon.

—An Easter sermon is to be delivered next Sunday morning at the Methodist church, and an Easter concert will be given Sunday evening.

—A very satisfactory sum was collected at the Congregational church last Sunday in being the annual offering for the Home Missionary society.

—Rev. Dr. Charles W. Gallagher of Woodland road occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church at Newton Highlands last Sunday evening.

—The adult Bible class which has just been organized in the Methodist Sunday school is succeeding well. All interested are invited. Mr. W. B. Herrick leads next Sunday.

—The Home Circle whist was held at the home of Mrs. F. W. Jones on Clark avenue Wednesday afternoon. There were seven tables and the prize was won by Mrs. W. N. Warren.

—Bishop W. F. Mallalieu, Rev. Dr. Daniel Steele and Rev. Dr. A. Wright were in Fitchburg last week and took an active part in the annual session of the Methodist Conference.

—Rev. F. N. Peloubet was the leader of the business men's class at the Congregational church last Sunday and opened the topic "How Books Help Us And What Books Have Helped Me."

—Mrs. Alice Peloubet Norton gave an address on "By the Home" in the discussion of the subject, "What can be Done to Improve the State of Our Churches?" held at the Suffolk West Conference in Waltham, last Wednesday.

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—Mrs. W. F. Kimball will give her annual whist for the benefit of the work of the Universalist Sewing Circle on Wednesday afternoon, May 2d. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville.

—Bishop Willard F. Mallalieu and Rev. T. Corwin Walkins, who is corresponding secretary of the New England deacons' home and training school were among the official visitors at the New Hampshire Methodist conference held in Nashua this week.

—The main auditorium of the Congregational church was filled with a representative audience last Sunday evening when "The Crucifixion" by Sir John Soane was given. The regular church choir assisted by other voices including the Brown Brothers male quartet and Mr. Clarence B. Shirley tenor soloist. The words of this devotional composition were selected and written by Rev. W. J. Sparrow-Simpson, M. A.

—Mrs. Mary F. French has held a very successful exhibition and sale of decorated china in her rooms in the "World" building on Centre street this week. Some of the pieces have been of high merit, and all showed great artistic care in preparation. There was a ready sale of many of the pieces for Easter gifts.

—The last meeting for the season of the Unitarian Club will be held in the Channing church parlors next Friday evening. An informal reception to the Unitarian ministers of Newton and Watertown will be held at 7:45, and short addresses will be given on "Co-operative Effort Among Churches." At the close of the speaking, light refreshments will be served.

—Mr. Ezra Wing, formerly well known here as a builder, died in New Bedford, last Saturday, aged 80 years. He was an uncle of Mr. George S. Holmes of West Newton and of Miss Flora Holmes and Mrs. John T. Hemenway of Newton. The remains were brought here Monday, and interred in the family lot in Newton cemetery.

—The choir and chorus of Eliot church under the direction of Mr. Everett E. Truette, the organist, will give the cantata "Judas Daughter" next Sunday afternoon at 4:30. This is one of Dr. John Stainer's finest musical compositions, and there should be a large attendance. The quartet consists of Mrs. Francis Dunton Wood, soprano; Miss Ada Campbell Hussey, alto; Mr. A. K. Lane, tenor; Mr. F. W. Cutler, bass.

—At Eliot church, Holy Week has been appropriately observed. The subject Monday evening was "The Home in Bethany," leader Rev. Dr. Davis; Tuesday evening, "The Good Shepherd," leader Rev. E. Oxford; Wednesday evening, "The Good Shepherd," leader Rev. Dr. Daniel; Thursday evening, "In the Pretorium," leader Rev. Dr. Speare. This evening the Union Good Friday service will be held with addresses by the different pastors.

—Mrs. Babcock of Syracuse, N. Y., is at the Hotel Hunnewell, and it is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Leonhard have given up their lease and that upon their departure Mrs. Babcock will take charge and put the hotel in first class order, and conduct it until other arrangements are made. A residence has been talked of to include all these residents of Newton, who were former guests of the hotel, and the manager will be a surprising lady one, as many who came to the hotel for a week, remained for months and years, and finally decided to settle in the city. The hotel has been an important feature in the growth of Newton, and its beautiful situation, convenient to steam cars and electric lines, make it popular with those who wish to remain for the summer within easy reach of Boston.

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## NOTICES

of all local entertainments to which admission is charged must be paid for at regular rates, 25 cents per line in the reading matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.

THOSE interested in the preservation of the rights of the Indians say that our Indian service is in a worse condition than for many years, on account of the bad character of the appointees, and opponents of civil service reform do not point to our Indian agents with pride. A sample of these is said to be William J. Pollock, agent for the Osage Indians, one of the best of the tribes, whose members have been educated and among whom the average of intelligence is said to be high. The Osage Council in calling attention to the general corruption that prevails at this agency and applying to the secretary of the interior for relief, make a proposition that ought to bring the blush of shame to those responsible for this condition. They say that if it is "found that Pollock must be provided for" they will appropriate from their own moneys enough to pay his salary by way of a pension, and pray "in the name of the God of the Indian and the white man that some honest, competent man be sent as agent to the Osages, for surely such a man can be found." Could there be a worse comment on our Indian policy than this, or a more severe indictment of the policy of turning the Indian service over to the spoilsmen.

THE stories that the Boer women are fighting side by side with their brothers and husbands for liberty and freedom come with a shock to most people. But it shows the sacredness of the cause when even the women take up arms in defence of their native land, and such cases were not unknown in our own war for independence against England. The correspondents say that the Boer women fight as bravely and shoot as straight as the men, but England can hardly feel proud of a war waged against such heroes and heroines. In the Boer army they say are all ages from grey bearded men down to mere youths, all stirred by the same spirit of patriotism. It is no wonder that the Boers astonish the world by the magnificent contest they are waging against overwhelming numbers.

THE holiday next Thursday is generally observed as the opening of the athletic season, and also the day to visit the seashore and select a cottage for the summer, or make other arrangements for the coming summer's vacation. There are many outdoor attractions, the celebration at Concord, the bicycle road race at Dedham, and Medfield, the opening of the golf season, and for those not so ambitious the general cleaning up of lawns and backyards and burning of rubbish. The latter is the old-fashioned method of celebrating, before bicycles and golf were invented and when people had to have something useful to do before they could enjoy being out of doors.

Now that the people have had time to think over Dewey's candidacy, they are treating it with more respect, and the great work of the admiral at Manila after the battle is being remembered. As long as Dewey was in sole command he had no trouble with the natives, as he treated them justly and fairly, and had he been left in command there would have been no war. This part of his fame can never be taken away, and his straightforward character appeals to the public when compared with the wobbings and twistings of politicians, who are willing to sacrifice any principle for the sake of immediate success.

THE formal opening of the Lexington Street Railway, of which Mr. H. B. Parker of the Boston and Newton is president, will be held on Saturday afternoon, and will be a swell affair with a banquet in the Lexington Town hall, with speeches by prominent citizens of Lexington, Waltham and Newton, the three cities which are united by this road. Cars for special guests leave Waltham at 1:30. This road will be a favorite with summer travellers as it is now finished as far as Bedford, and the route from Waltham is through a charming section of farming country.

CONGRESSMAN LITTLEFIELD of Maine was renominated by acclamation, and his course in Congress was warmly endorsed, and then the convention mixed up things by endorsing the President and the administration generally. If Littlefield was right, the President must have been wrong, but possibly the first endorsement was sincere and the other purely formal. At any rate Messrs. Littlefield and McCullum are the two New England Congressmen in whose record the people take special pride.

FRANK SANBORN in his witty and out-spoken letters to the Springfield Republican says that Senator Wolcott was wrong in charging Senator Lodge with "unqualified falsehood." He should have said "qualified falsehood," and then his statement would have applied to all of our unwise Senator's speeches. Mr. Sanborn's

correction is even worse than the original charge.

THE great amount of snow in New Hampshire is said to be responsible for the cold north winds which are so prevalent, and also so disagreeable. The people to the north of us are said to be still struggling through snow banks. The crocuses and other spring flowers that have appeared, look as though they needed to be wrapped in woolen blankets, and ambitious gardeners find that except in sunny spots the frost still lingers in the ground.

The registration of letters by letter carriers goes into effect April 16th, but the carriers are forbidden to wait a fraction of a minute longer than is necessary to write a receipt, and registry fee and postage must be pre-paid. Carriers have to observe the 8-hour law, and so all their communications with patrons must be "on the fly."

## Hunnewell Club Minstrels.

The auction sale of tickets for the minstrel show took place at the club house last Saturday night and was a very spirited affair. The first choice went to the president, Mr. Chas. A. Haskell, after some lively bidding, for \$7.50, and the second choice to ex-Mayor Hubbard at nearly the same figures. There was a long succession of other tickets bid in at from \$1 down to \$1, and when the bids closed nearly all the tickets for the first night were taken. Since many tickets have been sold at the club house, and on Wednesday tickets were placed on sale at Hubbard's drug store. There are good seats left for the second night, but application should be made early as they are going rapidly. Evidently the show is to be a success financially, and there is no doubt that it will be a very amusing affair from the hints about the funny jokes, cake-walk and songs that have escaped the censor.

## NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

Six days after the death of John J. Kenny his wife received a check for \$3,000 from Echo Bridge council, Royal Arcanum of Newton Upper Falls, of which Mr. Kenny was a member.

—Music at St. Mary's church on Easter Sunday. Rev. H. A. Munro, rector. The choir of 25 boys and men will sing for morning prayer and Holy Communion.

Christ Our Passover.

Te Deum Laudamus.

Field Tours.

They have taken away my Lord.

Stainer Sanctus and Gloria in Excelsis.

Old Chants

At the afternoon service the children's Sunday school festival, at which potted plants will be distributed to all members. Masters Victor Dennis and Ben Miller will be the soprano soloists at the morning service. Charles J. Bufford, choir master; F. Weston, organist. The new organ recently built by George H. Ryden is giving excellent satisfaction to all the parishioners at St. Mary's and their friends.

## Hunnewell Club Notes.

The Neighborhood Club visited the Hunnewell club, Wednesday night and succeeded in winning two out of three games in the bowling match, but in the card room the Hunnewell team, Messrs. Bixby, Crook, Hallit and Lord, won 13 points to 12, a whisk from the visitors, represented by Messrs. Ayer, Bush and Peters. Following is the bowling score:

## NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB.

	1	2	3	Total
Frost	13	150	129	412
Blaney	122	106	185	413
Burrage, H. E.	153	144	453	
Linden	172	180	145	497
Burrage, H. L.	153	169	469	
Team totals	728	747	772	2247
HUNNEWELL CLUB.				
Haskell, C. A.	156	154	468	
Wellington	153	156	434	
Burrage, H. E.	153	152	462	
Loring	153	117	419	
Loveland	151	145	170	466
Team totals	756	766	768	2229

The Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin, and Guitar Club gave a concert last evening which was largely attended.

## MISS T. F. KIFF,

whose card appears this week, makes a specialty of the positive cure of all ailments of the feet, also treats the hair, face and hands in a skilful manner. Miss Kiff studied and uses the Dr. Kahler's method.

## WABAN.

—Mr. E. W. Conant had a telephone put in his store this week.

—Miss Mona Welch, the accomplished reader, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Smith, part of this week.

—Mr. Scarboro of Waban avenue is making improvements around his dwelling this spring and will erect a nice stable.

—The little Misses Evelyn Comer and Dorothy Winchester, were flower girls at the Bosson-Knapp wedding in Auburndale Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. Comer and Mr. and Mrs. E. Winchester were present from here.

—Mrs. Park and daughter have moved from the Strong block here to West Newton. Mr. Gordon Rhodes of the Waban apothecary has taken the flat vacated by them.

—The Waban Land Co. through the office of Joseph Congdon, Boston, has made a sale here of 34 lots, comprising about 160,000 square feet, situated on Rokeby, Pontiac and Devindra roads. The purchaser buys for improvement and development. The papers have been passed.

—Mr. W. R. Dresser and his mother, Mrs. M. A. Dresser, have gone to Asheville, N. C., where they will remain several weeks. They visit Mr. Harry K. Dresser, son and brother, who went to Asheville two years ago, on account of ill health.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—For other Newtonville items see 7th page.  
—Novelties that will please and interest at St. John's fair, April 17 and 18.  
—Mr. F. F. Raymond and daughter of Otis street have returned from Old Point Comfort.  
—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7.30.

—Mr. Wm. M. Goodridge has returned to Chicago after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Mary R. Martin of Prescott street.

—Miss Constance Frisbie, who has been spending a week with Mrs. A. P. Walker of Birch Hill road, has returned to her home in Boston.

—Miss May Clarke, who has been spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Clarke of Otis street, has returned to Groton.

—Women can order at St. John's fair, April 17 and 18, fashionable summer hats for themselves or their daughters at prices below those charged by Boston milliners.

—A regular meeting of the Newtonville Woman's Guild will be held in the parlors of the New church next Tuesday afternoon. A musical will be given under the direction of Mrs. Philip Carter.

—A meeting of the Every Saturday Club will be held at the home of Mrs. J. G. Thompson on Otis street next Saturday afternoon. The program for the coming year will be discussed and other business matters will be considered.

—A whilst party in the series given for the members of the Every Saturday Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. G. Lester on Court street Monday evening. There were eight tables and the prizes were won by Miss Dunham, Mrs. Hardon, Mr. Bick and Mr. Kingsbury.

—Music at the Central church, Easter morning: Carol Anthem, "Easter Day." Rowley Watson "Hymn Anthem. The strife is o'er." Mendelsohn Foster "When the Sabbath was past."

—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Richardson took place this afternoon at 3 from her residence on Austin street. The services were attended by many relatives and friends and were in charge of Rev. H. J. Patrick, pastor emeritus of the West Newton Congregational church. Tomorrow the remains will be taken to Mt. Vernon, N.H., for interment.

—At the Universalist church next Sunday morning at 10:45 an Easter service will be held and the pastor will preach a sermon on the subject, "Some Substantial Reasons for a Belief in Immortality." A special musical program will be rendered and there will be a quartet from Boston to assist. In the afternoon an Easter concert will be given by the Sunday school.

—Last Friday afternoon a well-dressed and smooth appearing individual entered the store of W. C. Gaudet on Walnut street, and after engaging the proprietor in conversation for several minutes, departed, wishing Mr. Gaudet a pleasant good day. It was but a short time afterward that the proprietor of the store discovered that several chamois skins, valued at \$7, were missing. He reported the theft to the police.

—In the new church parlors last Friday evening a very pleasing program of impromptu charades was given by Miss Annie Payson Call, Miss Louise Ditch and Miss George R. Pulsifer. The words toilet, restaurant, philanthropy, champagne and barbary were presented and piano music was furnished during the evening by Mr. A. P. Walker. Later tea was served under the direction of Mrs. George R. Pulsifer and Mrs. Albert Carter. About 150 were present.

—The funeral of Mrs. Susan Jane Metcalf, who died last Thursday, took place Sunday afternoon. Services were held at the residence of Mrs. V. Wentworth, 20 Foster street. The Rev. Mr. Thompson of the Methodist church officiated. The interment took place Monday at Lisbon, Me. Mrs. Metcalf was the widow of Willard Metcalf, and was 85 years of age. She was the daughter of Daniel and Mehitable N. McFarland and was born at Durham, Me., on May 1, 1815.

—Mrs. Mary A. Richardson, widow of Wm. B. Richardson, died Wednesday at her home on Austin street, aged 74 years. Mrs. Richardson was a native of Mt. Vernon, N.Y., and had made her home in this place for more than 30 years. Her husband was for many years ticket agent at the Newtonville station. She is survived by three children, Edward A., landscape gardener employed by the Boston & Albany Miss Alice and Miss Lillian Richardson. Mrs. Richardson was a faithful attendant at the Newtonville Methodist church.

—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Field on North Main street, Brockton, yesterday afternoon, occurred the marriage of Miss Emma Peabody Choate and Mr. Herbert Chester Needham of this place. The ceremony was performed in the parlor by Rev. Dr. R. Stoddard, and the bride and groom were present. The bride was attended by her two sisters, Mrs. L. H. Perkins of Springfield and Miss Alice Choate. At the close of the reception and luncheon which followed, Mr. and Mrs. Field left for a three weeks' trip to New York, Washington and Old Point Comfort and on their return will reside in Newtonville.

—At St. John's Episcopal church on Easter Sunday, morning prayer and holy communion at 10:45; children's service at 4. The order of service in the morning will be as follows:

Processional Hymn 122. Stainer  
Easter Chants, 146. Mietzke  
Benedictus, 39. Ir introit Hymn, 475. Cruckshank  
Sanctus, 505. "Resurrection." Shelle  
Communion Hymn, 225. Cruckshank  
Gloria in Excelsis. Cruckshank  
Recessional, Hymn, 113.

—Easter music at the Universalist church:

Organ Prelude, "Resurrection." Stainer  
Antiphon, "God Hath Appointed a Day." Tours  
Soprano Solo, "With Verdoe Glad," from  
the Chorus.

Bass Solo, "Lord, God, of Abraham," from  
Elijah. Contralto Solo to be selected.

Mezzo Soprano Solo, "The World Itself Keeps Easter  
Day," by Burlington Organ Postlude, "Redemption." Gounod

The quartet is composed as follows: Miss Mabelle G. Dadmun, soprano; Mrs. George B. Rice, contralto; Dr. George B. Rice, basso; Mr. C. Frank Hunting, tenor; Mrs. Ada M. Husted, organist. The subject of the sermon will be, "Some substantial reaons for a belief in immortality."

N. C. E. Union.

A public meeting of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union will be held on Monday evening, April 16, at the Congregational church, Auburndale. Supper will be served at 6:30, followed at 7:15 by a social half hour, and the public service at 7:45. The address will be delivered by Rev. Dr. J. L. Hills, D. D., of Salem, his theme being "Team Work." Dr. Hills was one of Dr. Clark's earliest supporters in the C. E. movement. After the address there will be an open parliament on the work of the local societies, led by the president, and the meeting will close with a consecration service under the direction of Rev. Frank B. Matthews of the Newton Baptist church.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tolman will return this week from Europe.  
—Feehey & Gannon will open a grocery store soon on River street.

—Thomas Hart has a position in Henry F. Cate's livery stable.

—Mr. J. W. Simpson of Fuller street has moved this week to Winchester.

—Miss Gertrude Maynard of Chestnut street is away on a trip to Chicago.

—Dr. H. P. Perkins has been ill this week at his home on Margin street.

—Miss Margaret Carter of Otis street is entertaining friends from Smith college.

—Mr. Charles Cuniff of the postoffice has returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fitzpatrick of Chestnut street have returned from New York.

—Miss Grace Moody of Elm street returned Friday from her trip to New York.

—Mr. E. A. Dexter of Stongton has moved here and will reside on Edy street.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hunting of Chestnut street left Wednesday for a trip to Danforth, Florida.

—Mr. W. J. Forbush of Watertown street returns this week from a visit to friends in Vermont.

—Mr. Frank Barker, who is confined at the Newton hospital with a broken leg, is improving.

—Mr. D. H. Church and family of Valentine street returned recently from their trip to Florida.

—Mr. C. F. Shirley of Parsons street has returned from Poland Springs and is improving in health.

—Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Talbot of Balaclava road left this week for a ten days' trip to Fortress Monroe.

—Mr. R. B. Young and family of Berkley street left yesterday to be absent until the middle of May.

—Mrs. G. P. Bullard and Miss Bullard of Temple street have returned from a short trip to New York.

—Mrs. J. P. Gray of Putnam street returned Monday after a week's trip to New York and Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hall of Otis street and Miss Lovett of Mt. Vernon street have returned from Lakewood, N. J.

—Mr. George Mason of Henshaw street is ill with pneumonia and was removed to the Newton hospital last Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Haverhill, Vt., are the guests of Mr. Wilson's father, Mayor E. B. Wilson of Otis street.

—The automobile factory on Webster street will probably be completed next week and will soon be in running order.

—Atwood's orchestra is to play both April 17 and 18 during the supper hours from 6 to 8 at St. John's fair, Newtonville.

—The next regular meeting of the Home Circle will be held on Wednesday, April 18, at 2 p. m., in Unitarian church parlors.

—Miss Safford and Miss Garrison, who have been spending a day at their homes here, will return Tuesday to Smith college.

—M. H. House, Upholstering, furniture repairing, window shades, mattresses made and renovated, Steam carpet cleaning. Tel. 294-4.

—Mr. E. W. Bailey of Garden City Lodge 1901, K. of H., was elected a grand trustee at the annual meeting of the grand lodge at Boston.

—Mrs. E. Jelleme and children of Webster street have returned from New York and New Jersey where they were the guests of relatives.

—Mrs. Ellen P. Perrin of Chestnut street sailed Saturday from New York for London where she will make an extended visit to her son, Mr. Philip Perrin.

—The next in the series of Home Circle whists will be held Wednesday afternoon, April 23d, at the home of Mrs. C. A. Reed, Mt. Auburn street, Watertown.

—The Ministers' Union meet at 2:30 Tuesday in the Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Dunham is to speak on "Some Constructive Tendencies in Modern Thought."

—Chief of Police Fred N. Tarbox has purchased a handsome dark-brown Kentucky thoroughbred mare to take the place of "Jane," which died on Friday.

—A reception was given in honor of Miss Lucy E. Allen at the College Club of Boston, Monday, before her departure for Europe, on the "Wens" on Saturday.

—Irving T. Farnham took the oath of office as city engineer last Tuesday morning. On Wednesday he was called to Detroit, N. Y., by the death of his mother.

—A meeting of Temple Rebekah Lodge will be held in Odd Fellows hall next Tuesday evening. After the business session an entertainment will be given for the good of the order.

—Make your mind up to get off at Newtonville next Tuesday or Wednesday evening and get an excellent salad supper or old-fashioned hot dinner at St. John's fair in Temple hall.

—Mr. Leonard Jones of Watertown street, who has been ill at the Newton hospital with diphtheria, has been discharged from the contagious ward and will soon return home.

—At the regular meeting of the Suffolk West association held at the United States hotel, Boston, last Monday Rev. Dr. Theodore P. Prudden read an essay on "The Higher Criticism."

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—Newton Lodge, 92, I. O. O. F., will work the third degree for Gov. Gore of Waltham, Lafayette Lodge of Watertown and our members of the local lodge in Odd Fellows hall next Thursday night.

—Grand Vice-Dictator William F. Murray of Garden City Lodge, No. 1901, K. of H., was promoted to the grand dictatorship at the 25th annual session of the Knights of the Order held in Boston, Wednesday.

—Miss Josephine Wilson, daughter of Mayor Edward B. Wilson, accompanied by her aunt, Miss Mary Grinnell, sailed from New York Wednesday on the SS St. Louis for an extensive European tour.

—Mrs. W. F. Kimball will give her annual whist for the benefit of the work of the Universalist Sewing Circle on Wednesday afternoon, May 2d. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville.

—It was reported at police headquarters last Friday evening that some time during the week the parties lines of James Dugan and Lawrence Lyons, both on Auburndale avenue were stripped by thieves of about \$10 worth of clothing.

—A very successful candy sale was held at the home of Miss Alice Rowe on Shaw street Thursday afternoon. Miss Rowe is a student at Wellesley, and the sum made will go toward the fund being raised to secure the gift from John D. Rockefeller.

—About 1:30 Tuesday morning members of an electrical company extinguished a fire on the Mary Davis estate, off Watertown street. A burning pile of rubbish had become ignited from some unknown cause and resulted in but slight damage.

—The regular meeting of the West Newton Union's Educational club will be held at the Unitarian church parlors this afternoon. As Rev. Vernon C. Harrington of Cleveland, Ohio, will not be present, owing to illness, the speaker will be Miss Mariana C. Porter. A musical program will be rendered under the direction of

Mrs. George H. Cate, and club tea will follow.

—Dr. Fred N. Lowe is rapidly convalescing and will be out on his duty the first of the week.

—A large audience filled the Baptist chapel Monday evening when Mr. Henry T. Bailey gave his interesting lecture on "Jerusalem, the City of the Great King."

—The section for Medical Gymnastics of the Boston Physical Education society chose as secretary, Miss Sarah S. Webber, teacher of gymnastics, Highland street.

—Nora, the 10-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Ryan, died on Wednesday and the funeral took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her late residence on Watertown street. The interment was at Waltham.

—Mr. N. T. Allen entered upon his 33d year of teaching in the same school building, this week, which is a remarkable record. Mr. Allen is in excellent health, and the Allen school has an unbroken record of prosperity.

—Hon. Charles H. Allen, assistant secretary of the Navy, is of the Medfield branch of the Allen family, and is a cousin twice removed of Messrs. N. T. and James T. Allen. He was also a classmate and roommate of City Solicitor Sloane at Amherst college.

—There will be special music at the First Baptist church next Sunday by the Brookline Male Quartet composed of H. E. Corbin, first tenor; C. H. Tenney, second tenor; B. Fletcher, first bass, J. P. Tucker, second bass. The program will be: Carol, "The Easter Bell Ringers." Collins Response, "Hear us Lord." Perkins Anthems, "Awake then that sleepest." Froelike Anthems, "Alleluia! Alleluia!"

In the evening at 7 o'clock an Easter concert by the Sunday school.

—The annual meeting of the Unitarian church was held last Monday evening and there was a good attendance of members. Mr. George H. Ellis was moderator. The annual reports were read and routine business followed. The following officers were elected: Benjamin F. Otis, treasurer; John C. Brimblecom, clerk; Mrs. Harriet M. Freeman, Mrs. Louise A. O. Frost, Captain John W. Weeks, James P. Tolman and Charles P. Hall, standing committee; James P. Tolman and Charles P. Hall, assessors.

—An important change in the hour of the off-duty police and clerks has been made by Chief Tarbox and went into effect last evening. Where formerly one lieutenant remained on duty from 5:45 p. m. until 1 a. m., he will report for duty at 5:45 p. m. but will not be relieved until 2:45 a. m. The hours of the other lieutenant will be from 2:45 a. m. until 11:45 a. m. Sergeants in charge of the three divisions will communicate with police headquarters hourly during their hours of duty which are from 5:30 p. m. until 2 a. m.

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## THE LEGISLATURE.

[Special Legislative Correspondence.]

Boston, April 11.

Yesterday afternoon the Governor sent to the Senate a message, bringing the whole matter of the Boston and Maine-Fitchburg lease before the body. In his message he suggests that the action of ratification if taken, contain a provision that the rights of the dissenting minority stockholders be preserved.

The great business interests of Boston and vicinity have been heard within a few days by the committee on railroads on the Boston & Albany lease. They all agree that it will be very much for the interests of Boston to have the lease ratified. The opponents of the lease make a rather poor showing as a whole. They argue that there will be a great depreciation in the value of the property because the New York Central is not in the habit of spending money on its stations, etc., but this is met by the counter argument that as the property of this character is already in good condition, prudence will dictate that the lessee keep it so.

The committee on ways and means still continues its hearings on that famous report of the special gypsy moth investigation committee. One of the best pleas against the proposition to have the work of suppressing the pest done by the cities and towns was made last week by City Collector Slocum of Newton, who was sent by Mayor Wilson to represent him. The committee is very clearly impressed with the arguments which are being made, and is pretty sure to gently turn down that special report.

Mr. Slocum has been watching the Clinton water bill of late. This is being heard by Mr. Langford's water supply committee in joint session with the committee on metropolitan affairs. With the city solicitors of other places he sits in the committee, having a tendency to support the bill and ready to take such action as may be required in defending the interests of his city. Chief Engineer Stearns of the metropolitan water board has prepared a typewritten statement for the information of the committee, in which he clearly states the position of the board. As to the first section of the bill, which seeks to give Clinton the preference in the sale of power or electricity produced by the big Clinton dam, he says that the bill will have a preference irrespective of any legislation, as it is within two miles of the dam, and is the only place where the power can be sold without a great expense for wires. Leominster is 10 miles, Worcester 12 and Fitchburg 15 miles away. He also points out that the water power of Lancaster, Ayer, Groton, Pepperell, Nashua, Lowell, and Lawrence is destroyed or injured by the diversion of the water, and if the Clinton corporation is given these other places should be considered to be the source of water supply. As to the claim that the source of water supply is lost, it is admitted that it has lost Sandy pond, and that it has gained the whole Wachusett reservoir, without cost.

Mr. J. R. Carter has been attending the hearings of the metropolitan committee regularly of late, until the question of the new Washington street subway was closed up. As a prominent member of the Associated Boards of Trade, he is very much interested. His demands are that a bill will be passed providing that the city shall build the subway, provided the city vote to do so at the next election, and that it shall be leased to any reliable company on the same general conditions as now apply to the Tremont street subway. The Citizen's Association of Boston recommended that the bill provide that the Elevated road should build it, and that the city should have the privilege of purchase at the end of a stated period. In the interest of accuracy it may be said that while Mr. Herbert L. Harding strongly favored the bill as submitted, there are no terms to be used if the report is otherwise. The fact is that a certain element in the association took this view of the matter, and the friends of a new subway, more anxious to get the matter before the General Court than they were to fight over details, acquiesced.

Mr. Carter is going to Washington in a few days to present his views to the great harbor improvements of Boston. If the river and harbor committee fails to get the survey for the proposed improvements, it will practically mean that some \$5,000,000 will be spent in making Boston harbor a safe port for the largest vessels. Mr. Wales of Auburndale will have to take care of the work of the harbor and land committee for a few days during these hearings, as commissioners Emery and White will go to Washington.

Highway Commissioner Ross was before the committee on roads and bridges yesterday to advocate the recommendations of his board as to the work of building state highways. Among these is a recommendation that there be two engineers on the board, and that they receive a salary of \$5000 each, devoting all their time to the work. The third member to receive \$1000 act as chairman, but only a portion of his time. It is understood that the idea that these two engineer commissioners will discharge the present chief engineer, divide the state into two halves, and each take charge of all engineering work in one of them. Mr. Perkins of the League of American Wheelmen opposes this idea as an effort to get rid of Mr. Ross, whom he believes to be a great road builder, as the street of Newton shows. On this point he is opposed by others who say that Mr. Ross is to all intents and purposes a civil engineer, and that this bill would give him a \$5000 salary, as he would be sure to be retained by the governor. The chief interest to Newton in this contention is as to whether she is going to keep or lose her highway commissioner. Should the bill go through he would evidently have to resign on the part of the commissioners.

The gas investigation has reached almost a farce stage, though nobody seems to blame. The New England Gas Co. Company refuses to have its affairs looked into, on the ground that there is no authority granted in the deed to the trustees to submit its books and papers to the examination of anybody. The committee is far from sure of its ground, and it may take the enactment of legislation to put it in a position where it can insist. Meanwhile, each day brings new developments. MANN.

## Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism.

KENNA, Jackson Co., W. Va.

About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and rendered her unable to walk step without assistance, her limbs being swelled to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using a Change of Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle of it and, according to the directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. PARSONS. For sale by A. Hudson, Newton; E. F. Partridge, Newtonville; B. Billings, Newton Upper Falls; J. H. Green, Newton Highlands.

MISS T. F. KIFF,

whose card appears this week, makes a specialty of the positive cure of all ailments of the feet, also treats the hair, face and hands in a skillful manner. Miss Kiff studied and uses the Dr. Kahler's method.

## THE BATTLE OF SPION KOP.

By Winston S. Churchill.

When it was decided to attack Spion Kop by night, rush the Boer trenches with the bayonet, intrench as far as possible before dawn, hold on during the day, drag guns up at night, and thus dominate the Boer lines, all of the plans were carefully made.

Gen. Woodgate was intrusted with the command and Col. Thorneycroft with much of the arrangement and direction of the night attack.

Guided by Col. Thorneycroft the force made its way successfully up the southern spur of the mountain, over most difficult and dangerous ground, and surprised the Boers guarding the intrenchments on the summit.

Morning broke, and with it the attack. The enemy, realizing the vital importance of the position, concentrated every man and gun at his disposal for its conquest. Gen. Woodgate was killed in the attack.

Sir Redvers Buller then took the extreme step of appointing Major Thorneycroft local brigadier-general commanding on the summit of Spion Kop, and to the bravest fighting man were sent reinforcements.

The Boers followed, and accompanied their shells by a vigorous rifle attack on the hill, and about 8:30 the position became most critical. The troops were driven almost entirely off the main plateau, and the Boers succeeded in reoccupying some of their trenches.

A final disaster was narrowly averted. About twenty men in one of the captured trenches abandoned their resistance, threw up their hands, and called out that they would surrender.

Col. Thorneycroft, whose great stature made him everywhere conspicuous, and who was from dawn till dusk in the first firing line, rushed to the spot. The Boers advancing to take the prisoners—*as at Nicholson's Nek*—were scarcely thirty yards away. Thorneycroft shouted to the Boer leader:

"You may go to hell. I command on this hill and have no surrender. Go on with your firing."

A thick and continual stream of wounded passed rearward. A village of ambulance wagons grew up at the foot of the mountain. The dead and injured, smashed and broken by the shells, littered the summit till it was a bloody, reeking shambles. Thirst tormented the soldiers, for though water was at hand the fight was too close and furious to give even a moment's breathing space. But nothing could awaken the British soldiers, unable to find or reach the enemy's guns, could only tear up the ground in impotent fury; though the shell fire and rifle fire never ceased for an instant, the magnificent infantry maintained the defense, and night closed in with the British still in possession of the hill.



WINSTON S. CHURCHILL.

## A STUDY OF THE NEW SOUTH.

By Abner McKinley.

I suppose I might say that the first impression made upon me was the lack of what I might call the economy of land in the South. I think in this connection what is most needed in the South to-day is what Minnesota and the Northwest already have, namely, Gen. Woodgate was intrusted with the command and Col. Thorneycroft with much of the arrangement and direction of the night attack.

Guided by Col. Thorneycroft the force made its way successfully up the southern spur of the mountain, over most difficult and dangerous ground, and surprised the Boers guarding the intrenchments on the summit.

Morning broke, and with it the attack. The enemy, realizing the vital importance of the position, concentrated every man and gun at his disposal for its conquest. Gen. Woodgate was killed in the attack.

Sir Redvers Buller then took the extreme step of appointing Major Thorneycroft local brigadier-general commanding on the summit of Spion Kop, and to the bravest fighting man were sent reinforcements.

The Boers followed, and accompanied their shells by a vigorous rifle attack on the hill, and about 8:30 the position became most critical. The troops were driven almost entirely off the main plateau, and the Boers succeeded in reoccupying some of their trenches.

A final disaster was narrowly averted. About twenty men in one of the captured trenches abandoned their resistance, threw up their hands, and called out that they would surrender.

Col. Thorneycroft, whose great stature made him everywhere conspicuous, and who was from dawn till dusk in the first firing line, rushed to the spot. The Boers advancing to take the prisoners—*as at Nicholson's Nek*—were scarcely thirty yards away. Thorneycroft shouted to the Boer leader:

"You may go to hell. I command on this hill and have no surrender. Go on with your firing."

A thick and continual stream of wounded passed rearward. A village of ambulance wagons grew up at the foot of the mountain. The dead and injured, smashed and broken by the shells, littered the summit till it was a bloody, reeking shambles. Thirst tormented the soldiers, for though water was at hand the fight was too close and furious to give even a moment's breathing space. But nothing could awaken the British soldiers, unable to find or reach the enemy's guns, could only tear up the ground in impotent fury; though the shell fire and rifle fire never ceased for an instant, the magnificent infantry maintained the defense, and night closed in with the British still in possession of the hill.



ABNER MCKINLEY.

About 4 o'clock I rode with Capt. R. Brooke, Seventh Hussars, to Spion Kop, to find out what the true situation was. We passed through the ambulance village, leaving our horses, climbed up the spur. Streams of wounded met us and obstructed our path. Men staggered along alone, or supported by comrades, or crawling on hands and knees, or carried on stretchers. Corpses lay here and there. Many of the wounds were of a horrible nature. The splinters and fragments of the shell had torn and maimed in the most ghastly manner.

I passed about 200 while I was climbing up. There was, moreover, a small but steady leakage of unwounded men of all corps. Some of these cursed and swore. Others were utterly exhausted and fell on the hillside in stupor. Others again seemed drunk, though they had no liquor. Scores were sleeping heavily. Fighting was still proceeding, and stray bullets struck all over the ground, while the Maxim shell guns scourged the flanks of the hill and the sheltering infantry at regular intervals of a minute.

I had seen some service, and Capt. Brooke had been through more fighting than any other officer of late years. We were so profoundly impressed by the spectacle and situation that we resolved to go and tell Sir Charles Warren what we had seen. The fight had been so close that no proper report had been sent to the General, so he listened with great patience and attention. One thing was quite clear—unless good and efficient cover could be had during the night and unless guns could be dragged to the summit of the hill to match the Boer artillery, the infantry could not stand. The British would not endure another day. The human machine will not stand certain strains for long.

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## THE STRENGTH OF THE OSTRICH.

The British soldiers in South Africa have had no end of fun with their ostrich friends and have made pets of these birds. A tale is told of how an English cavalryman made such a pet of an ostrich that it would follow him everywhere, and many a race had been between his mount and the ostrich.

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## The Maynard Chapter of the Natural History Society.

The twenty-sixth meeting of this society was held at Mr. Maynard's laboratory, 447 Crafts street, Friday evening, March 30th. John Saville gave the first paper of the evening, speaking of the birds he had seen from March 14 to the present date. His notes showed he had let no bird escape his attention.

The subject of iron was then taken up by Lester Avery. Iron has a large distribution; it is found in sand, clay, quartz, wood, water, garnet, etc. Some of the ores are hematite, magnetite, limonite, siderite, chromite and pyrite. Specimens were shown and interesting points about them brought out.

The time was then given over to general notes. A blue bird and her mate arriving on the 13th were seen to build to their nest on the 27th.

Our members had shot a mocking bird for a shrike. These birds are easily confused. A specimen of each was shown and the difference told. The larger Redpoll and Pine Siskin had been seen out at the Arboretum during the week. Some of the members had seen caterpillars, butterflies and snakes, which are harbored in the scale of the auricula, in that it has two openings where the food is taken in and rejected.

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I found Col. Thorneycroft at the top of the mountain. Every one seemed to know even in the confusion where he was. He was sitting on the ground, surrounded by the remnants of the regiment he had raised. He had fought for him like lions and as I thought. Naval guns were prepared to fire

## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. John W. Dickerman has returned from her trip to New York.

—See Rev. Dillon Bronson's illustrated lecture, adv. on 4th page.

—Miss Jessie Carter of Highland avenue returns Tuesday to Smith College.

—Miss Sibley of Austin street has returned from her trip to New York.

—Miss Mary J. Wellington has returned to her school in Manchester, N. H.

—Mr. John Carter of Highland avenue returned from his trip to New York.

—Mr. Charles Curtis and family have returned from their trip to New York.

—Mr. F. S. Rollins, Jr., of Walnut street left Wednesday for a trip to California.

—Mrs. E. W. Sampson of Washington street is entertaining her son from New York.

—Mrs. Frank L. Nagle of Kirkland road has been away this week on a trip to Pennsylvania.

—Mr. Mitchell and family of Highland avenue left this week for their future home in England.

—Miss Winifred Puisifer of Walnut street has returned from a several months' European trip.

—Mr. T. W. Swift and family have moved to Provincetown and later will go to Washington, D. C.

—Miss Amy Thompson has returned to her home on Walnut street after visiting friends in Springfield.

—Mrs. Allen and her daughter returned the first of the week and are at their home on Washington terrace.

—Mr. Wm. J. Adams of Norwood avenue a machinist, is critically ill, the result of a serious burning accident.

—Mr. Henry Colburn has been out of town the past week on a shooting trip to Monomoy in the Maine woods.

—Mr. John F. Payne has had a new refrigerator and other improvements to his sofa fountain put in this week.

—The annual Easter offering for the extension of church buildings will be taken at the New church next Sunday.

—Mrs. F. A. McManam of Cabot street, who has been the guest of her aunt in Northampton, has returned home.

—Mrs. J. C. Brown of Bowes street has returned from New York, where she was called by the death of her brother.

—Mr. Russell Gibbs, who is spending the Easter vacation at home, returns the first of the week to Williams College.

—Waban Lodge, 156, I. O. O. F., will work the first degree on several candidates in Dennisville hall next Tuesday evening.

—Mr. Albert S. Moffat will be in charge of the young people's meeting at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

—In the New church parlors next Friday evening the parish will have a supper followed by an entertainment of tableaux.

—Mr. Brainard Taylor of Lowell avenue is taking the part of Lieut. Steele Arbour in the P. I. Eta play, "The Campagners."

—Mr. C. W. Johnson of Greenland, N. H., has purchased the estate of Lucy J. Cate, the Fuller homestead on North street.

—The Misses Bartlett of Madison avenue have returned from visiting their brother, Rev. A. Eugene Bartlett in Manchester, N. H.

—Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury of New York, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joshua Baker, Jr., at Wellesley Hills, has been in town this week.

—The annual meeting of the parish of the Universalist church will be held Tuesday evening, April 17th, in the vestry of the church.

—Miss Lida J. Ross held a very successful exhibition and sale of decorated China at her home on Walnut street last Monday and Tuesday from 3 to 10 p. m.

—A meeting of the Charity Square connected with the Central Congregational church was held in the parlors Wednesday afternoon. A missionary barrel is being prepared by the members.

—Messrs. G. W. Washburn and E. W. Greene, and Mrs. A. C. Judkins were the delegates from the Central church to the Suffolk West Conference held in Waltham on Wednesday.

—Letters remaining in the postoffice for M. A. Briggs, E. Harriman, Mill street; William Lynch, Henry Peterson, C. O. Smith, 149 Appleton street; Mrs. Mary L. Thompson, Miss Gladys A. White.

—At the Central church next Sunday morning Easter will be appropriately observed. Rev. Ozora S. Davis preaching a sermon on, "The Meaning of Easter." A special musical program is being prepared.

—A visitor's meeting was held at the rooms of the Associated Charities yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The plans regarding vacant lot cultivation have been abandoned owing to disappointment in securing land.

—Rev. O. S. Davis has continued his special pass week services on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at the Central Congregational church. This evening the final service will be held when he will speak on, "Behold the Man."

—A meeting of the directors of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs was held in the New church parlors last Saturday morning when arrangements were made for the federation meeting at Newton Centre, Thursday, May 3d.

—A very pretty whilst party was given by Miss Grace Trotter at her home on Washington park Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. Bergstrom of Honolulu. The prizes were won by Miss Calley and Mr. Griffiths. At the close of the game refreshments were served.

—Rev. W. J. Thompson of Newtonville attended the annual meeting at Fitchburg, where he attended the annual Methodist Conference. At the unanimous request of the Methodist church the presiding elder has assigned Mr. Thompson as pastor for the coming year.

—Henry Boyd of 12 Beach street was driving on Walnut street Tuesday afternoon, when his wagon was struck by an electric of the Newton & Boston street railway. The collision occurred near Trowbridge street. Boyd escaped any serious injury but his wagon was wrecked.

—The members of the New church society have been active during the past season in raising money, and during the past month \$3,000 has been raised by private voluntary subscription. Soon after Easter this sum will be used to make extensive additions and improvements to the church parlor.

—The Easter service of the New church next Sunday at 10:45 a. m., will be conducted by Mr. Arthur Mercer of Cambridge. Appropriate music will be rendered under the direction of Mr. A. P. Walker, the organist. It is hoped that the Rev. John Worcester will be present and administer the sacrament.

—An Easter Sunday school concert will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday evening and will consist of songs, recitations and dialogues. The committee in charge are Miss Cora Carter, Miss Florence Abbott, Mrs. J. C. Atkinson and Miss Florence Sylvester. Mr. Webb B. Hill will be the director of the chorus.

—A postponed meeting of the History Club will be held Wednesday evening, April 18, at the residence of Mrs. George W. Auryansen on Judkins street. The

subject to be considered is, "The Progress of Science and papers will be given by Mrs. E. N. L. Walton and Miss Carrie E. Sillooway. Mrs. Mary R. Martin will be in charge of the meeting.

—Mrs. W. F. Kimball will give her annual whilst for the benefit of the work of the University Visiting Circle on Wednesday afternoon, May 20th. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville. 21

Under the auspices of the Newton Free Library a lecture on "The Development of Character through Play" is to be given at the Clafin school on Monday evening by Dr. Luther Gulek of Springfield. See advertisement.

—A young men's club has been recently organized in St. John's church the object being to increase social intercourse and strengthen the bonds of Christian fellowship. The president is Elisha Avery and the treasurer Roland Gammons. The meetings are held weekly and the club has in preparation Gilbert and Sullivan's opera, "Trial by Jury," to be given at a later date.

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## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Coulter, John M. Plant Structures; a Second Book of Botany. 103,783

The writers first book of Botany was entitled "Plant Relations," (103,758)

Drummond, James S., Charles A. Berry, D. D.; Memoir. 93,800

Mr. Berry was called to the pastorate of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, after the death of Mr. C. C. Bradshaw, his predecessor, but declined the call.

Drysdale, William. The Fast Mail; the Story of a Train-Boy. 65,112

Eddy, Sarah J. ed. Friends and Helpers. 102,877

The object of this book is to teach children to treat all living creatures with considerate kindness and to appreciate the services of man's helpers in the animal world.

Preface. 37,428

Grohman, Wm. A. Ballie. Fifteen Years' Sport and Life in the Hunting Grounds of Western America and British Columbia. 83,255

Gunton, Geo. Trusts and the Public. 74,371

A collection of articles and addresses discussing the different aspects of the subject as they have arisen during the last twelve years.

Ireland, Alleyne. The Anglo-Boer Conflict; its History and Causes. 71,532

A brief account of the events which have led to the war in South Africa.

Jones, H. C. Theory of Electrolytic Dissociation and some of its Applications. 104,630

Magruder, Julia. A Manifest Destiny. 65,1154

Mann, Rufus. The Prelude and the Play. 65,1146

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Pemberton, T. Edgar. The Kenneths; a Biography. 95,633

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Theuriet, Andre. Le Fils Mauvais. 43,197

West, Sir. Algernon. Recollections, 1852 to 1860. 94,630

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Wilson, Lucy Langdon Williams. Survey Study in Elementary Schools; a Manual for Teachers. 54,1307

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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Prof. J. M. English will preach at the First Baptist church on Sunday.

—Mr. Herbert D. Ward of Dudley street has been spending the week in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Emery of Ballard street returned this week from New York.

—Mr. William May and family of Gibbs street left Wednesday for a two weeks' absence.

—Miss Annie Sheppard, who has been visiting her home in Castine, Me., has returned.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster of Lake avenue left Wednesday for Jamaica, West Indies.

—Miss Maynard, who has been visiting friends on Cedar street, has returned to Medfield.

—Mr. Clark, a student at Williams College, is visiting his home on Cypress street this week.

—Mrs. C. A. Clark of Cypress street is suffering from a serious attack of grip and rheumatism.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris of Oxford road are expected home in a few days from their trip to New York.

—Miss Ethel Leach is on her vacation home from college and gave an inroque party at Bray hall, last evening.

—Mrs. Pratt, who has been the guest of her sister in North Easton, has returned to her home on Institution avenue.

—Miss Helen Ward, who is visiting her home on Crescent avenue, returns to Northampton next Wednesday.

—W. H. McAskill has started in business as a watchmaker and repairer in Woodman's store at Newton Highlands.

—At the First Baptist church on Sunday the preacher was Rev. W. N. Donovan of the Newton Theological Institution.

—Mr. Nathaniel Goddard, an old resident of Newton, died at his home on Hammond street, yesterday morning, aged 87 years.

—Mr. Charles E. Rand of Clark street has purchased of John Copp of Barnstead his 25 acre stock farm, located in Barnstead, N. H.

—An assembly under the auspices of Enniskillen True Blue Lodge, L. O. L., will be held in Circuit hall, Thursday evening, April 26.

—Christopher McGrath reported to the police Wednesday evening that his bicycle had been stolen from in front of a building on Centre street.

—Rev. John W. Butler of the mission of the Methodist church in Mexico, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Butler of Crescent avenue, for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Dupee of Beacon street, who sailed recently for Europe, will spend a part of the season in travel and sightseeing about the old world.

—The office rooms of Dr. H. E. Johnson are well appointed for all branches of dental practice. Patients appreciate neatness as well as careful and thorough work.

—The funeral of Mr. John Martin Schworer, who died on Thursday, April 5, was held from his late residence on Brookline street, Sunday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

—A Union Good Friday service will be held this evening at the First Baptist church. Short addresses will be given by Rev. E. T. Sullivan and Rev. E. M. Noyes.

—Children will be delighted with the dolls that can be painted, cut out and put together to be found on the children's table at St. John's fair, Newtonville, April 17 and 18.

—At 3:10 Wednesday afternoon, members of the fire department extinguished a burning pile of lumber on vacant land off Homer street, owned by the city of Newton. Damage \$10.

—At the Church of the Sacred Heart next Sunday services will be as follows: Mass at 7 a. m. and 8:30 a. m., solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m., solemn vespers at 7:30 p. m.

—Thomas, the young son of Mr. Thomas King of Beacon street, died Tuesday after a somewhat protracted illness. The funeral occurred on Wednesday and the interment was at Waltham.

—The quarterly meeting of the New England branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was held Wednesday at the Methodist church. An address was made by Dr. J. W. Butler of Waltham.

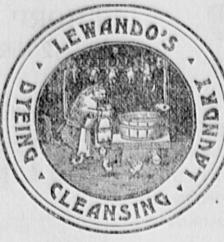
—At the Methodist church next Sunday Easter will be observed by a special musical program in the morning and an appropriate address by the pastor. Easter vespers will be held at four o'clock with music by the quartet.

—Mrs. W. F. Kimball will give her annual whist for the benefit of the work of the Universalist Sewing Circle on Wednesday afternoon, May 2d. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville.

—Mothers should take their children to see the children dance the waltz minuet in old fashioned costumes, April 17, at 8 p. m., and to see children present the Ruggles' Christmas dinner, April 18, at 4:30 p. m., at St. John's fair, Newtonville.

—The choir consisting of Miss Annie J. Gonyon, Miss Emma V. Foster, Mr. Wm. H. Potter and Mr. Chas. W. Adams, will be assisted by Mr. Karlo Ondricek of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, violin; Mr. Ralph Smiley, viola; Mr. W. I. Howell, soprano, and Mr. William Cobb, piano; Wm. I. Howell, organ and director.

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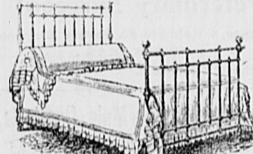
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—Mrs. White has moved from the Taylor  
building to Charlestown.

—Miss Jane Owen is the guest of her  
sister, Mrs. John Stetson of Park street.

—Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Holmes have  
moved this week from Wesley street to  
Northampton.

—The offering next Sunday at Eliot  
church will be for the American Missionary  
Association.

—Mr. George W. Brown and family of  
Bellevue street will move soon to Beacon  
street, Newton Centre.

—Mrs. James Belcher, who has been  
spending the winter here, returned last  
week to North Easton.

—Mrs. James F. Monroe of Brattleboro  
has been in town this week the guest of  
friends on Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George E. Allen and Mr.  
Edwin F. Allen of Centre street are moving  
this week to Newton Centre.

—Miss Hopewell, who has been visiting  
her home on Waverley avenue, returned to  
Wellesley College last Monday.

—Miss Estelle Andrews entertained a  
number of musical friends at her home on  
Wesley street last Friday evening.

—Mr. Farlow from the west has rented  
the Goddard estate on Waverley avenue  
and will move here soon with his family.

—Mr. and Mrs. John C. Chaffin and Miss  
Chaffin of Vernon street have returned  
from a several months' trip to California.

—The girls distinguished Lavender Club  
of nine young ladies will meet Thursday  
at 4:30 p.m., at the home of Miss Bertha  
Bush on Elmwood street.

—A number of here attended the annual  
meeting of the Woman's Baptist  
Foreign Missionary society held in Loring  
hall, Tremont Temple, Boston, last  
Wednesday.

—Rev. George R. Gross, the new pastor  
of the Methodist church and his family,  
have moved here this week from Northampton,  
and will reside in the parsonage on  
Wesley street.

—The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M.  
C. A. will meet in the association parlor,  
April 23rd, at 3 o'clock. Ladies not members  
will always be welcome at the meeting  
of the auxiliary.

—The Bible class at the Channing Unitarian  
church next Sunday will be conducted by  
Rev. Dr. F. B. Hornbrook, who will  
take up the subject, "The Oxford Move-  
ment and Modern Romani."

—The business men's class will meet at  
Eliot church next Sunday. Rev. Dr. Philip  
Moxom will open the subject, "The Higher  
Criticism—What is it? Its uses and  
abuses."

—Rev. Dr. W. H. Davis, Rev. Dr. C. H.  
Daniels, Rev. Dr. E. H. Byington and Mr.  
H. A. Wilder will attend the ecumenical  
conference to be held next week in New  
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—Rev. Dr. Philip Moxom of Springfield  
will speak at Eliot church next Sunday,  
both morning and afternoon, exchanging  
with the pastor. The usual vespers service  
will be held at 4:30.

—The junior department of the Y. M. C. A.  
has organized a baseball team, with  
Arthur Wilson as captain. The team will  
play with other teams composed of boys  
averaging thirteen years of age.

—On Easter Sunday the engagement was  
announced of Miss Edith Lyman, daughter  
of Mrs. Lydia Lyman of Saltonstall and Mr.  
Horatio S. Allen of this city. Both young  
people have hosts of friends, who have been  
extending their congratulations on the  
happy event.

—Messrs. W. H. Partridge and P. F.  
Parker were members of the reception  
committee at the state prohibition commit-  
tee banquet given in Boston last evening,  
in honor of John G. Wooley, the great  
temperance advocate and editor of the  
"New Voice" of Chicago.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Lennon of  
New York have issued cards for the mar-  
riage of their daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth,  
to Mr. Walter Uhler Lawson, formerly of  
Newton, at St. Luke's church, 141st street,  
New York city, on Wednesday evening, April 25, at 9 o'clock.

—Nearly one thousand people were pres-  
ent at Eliot church last Sunday afternoon  
to hear the rendering of the sacred Cantata,  
"The Daughter of Jairus," by Dr. John  
Stainer. The choir was assisted by a  
chorus of thirty voices and the director  
was Everett E. Truette the organist  
and choir master.

—A social meeting of Rev. Dr. Davis'  
class of boys and girls was held in the  
Eliot church parlors last Monday after-  
noon. About fifty were present and the  
program consisted of character recitations  
by Miss Florence Bacon, songs by Mr.  
Robert Davis, with banjo accompaniment,  
and games and refreshments.

—Musis in Grace church, Sunday night:  
Choral Even-song.  
Processional hymn, "Christ is our Corner  
Stone." Parker  
Magnificat. Tours in D.  
Nunc Dimittis. Tours in D.  
Antiphon, "Christ our Passover." Tours  
"The Lord is my strength." Smart  
Retrospective. "Come ye faithful raise  
the strain." Sullivan  
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—The annual banquet of the young  
men's club connected with Eliot church  
will be held in the parlors next Monday  
evening. An enjoyable event is anticipated  
and the program will be varied. Entertainment  
and toasts will be given. By special  
request the galleries will be open to all  
who care to view the proceedings during  
the evening.

—A young people's service was held at  
Grace church last Sunday afternoon.  
The service was given, consisting of  
hymns and carols, addressed by the Super-  
intendent, Mr. F. N. Robbins and Mr. F.  
W. Roberts the presentation of books to  
the choir boys who had the best record for  
attendance, and of plants to the children.  
About one hundred were present.

—The last business meeting for the sea-  
son of the junior department, was held in  
the parsonage of Rev. Dr. Y. M. Byington  
on Wednesday evening. Reports were read by the various  
committees and Secretary Parker awarded  
the prizes for highest number of points in  
gymnasium work as follows: First prize,  
gold medal, to Arthur Wilson, 349 points;  
second prize, silver medal, to Charles  
Black, 323 points. The whites, a group of  
nine boys, received each a silver medal for  
which the by the way, contained no money,  
they overhauled show cases and secured a  
large amount of tools and cutlery, valued  
at about \$50. The break was discovered  
at 12:20 Monday morning by Patrolman R.  
J. Good. It was evident that the thief  
were watching the movements of the  
officer as he had visited that locality at  
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Sunday evening. At the time the break  
occurred he was at lunch.

—Fresh spinach 25 cents per peck. Newton  
Corner Market.

—Mr. A. W. Rees has been called to East-  
port, Me., by the death of his father.

—Mr. O. Luke of Hopkinton has moved  
into the Page house on Arlington street.

—Mr. C. B. Cotting and family of New-  
tonville are moving this week to Oakleigh  
road.

—There is to be a choral service in Grace  
church on Sunday night. All seats are  
free.

—Mr. W. H. Allen of Boston is moving  
into the George E. Allen house on Centre  
street.

—Mr. A. B. Turner is moving this week  
from Sargent street to his new house on  
Fawlor Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wyatt of Orchard  
street are receiving congratulations on the  
arrival of a son.

—Mr. Henry Tolman has returned from  
his trip to Hot Springs, West Va., much  
improved in health.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harris of Newton-  
ville avenue have returned from an extended  
stay in the South.

—Aban, Trowbridge & Co. have rented  
the Ireland house, 48 Newtonville Avenue,  
to P. D. Judy of Boston.

—Since the reduction of gas April 1st, to  
\$1.25 net there has been a marked increase  
in the sale of gas stoves.

—Miss Bessie Hyde, who has been seri-  
ously ill with appendicitis at her home on  
Channing street, is improving.

—Fresh killed turkeys, 20 cts. per pound;  
chickens 22 cts. per pound; fowl 15 cts;  
lamb, 15 cts. Newton Corner Market.

—The Rev. Clifford G. Twombly of St.  
Paul's church, Newton Highlands, is to  
officiate in Grace church on Sunday morn-  
ing.

—Mrs. A. W. Huff of Park street will  
have the sympathy of her friends in the  
death of her mother at Watertown on  
Wednesday.

—The annual business meeting of the  
Young People's society with the reports  
and election of officers will be held at the  
Immanuel Baptist church next Wednesday  
evening.

—Postmaster George H. Morgan and Mr.  
Fred A. Hubbard sail Wednesday on the  
"New England" of the Dominion line for  
a trip through England, Holland, Belgium  
and France.

—The young ladies of the First parish of  
Watertown were very successful in the  
presentation of "The Man in the Case,"  
Wednesday evening before an appreciative  
audience.

—At the parish meeting of Grace church  
held last Monday, the proposal to admit  
women as members of the corporation was  
not adopted. It will be brought up again  
next year.

—The next meeting of the Social Science  
Club will be held on Wednesday, April 25,  
at 10 a.m., in the Hunnewell clubhouse.  
Subject—"Our Country as a Factor in  
Social Progress."

—Dr. Lincoln R. Stone was elected a  
member of the board of censors at the  
annual meeting of the Middlesex South  
District Medical Society held in Water-  
town, Wednesday.

—The Newtonian Mandolin and Guitar  
club played at the coming out party  
of Miss Edmonds in Portland, Me., Monday  
evening, and they also gave a very successful  
concert in Gorham during their trip.

—The last social of the season was  
held at the Baptist church Tuesday even-  
ing. "The Family Album," consisting of  
a series of tableaux, was presented under  
the direction of Mrs. A. A. Howe, and  
refreshments followed.

—The many friends and patrons of Harris  
E. Johnson, electrician, will be pleased  
to learn that he has opened an office in Eliot  
block, No. 330 Centre street, where he will  
be happy to see his friends and show them  
new novelties in electrical apparatus.

—The final meeting for the season of the  
Monday Evening Club was held at the  
home of Dr. Robert A. Reid on Hyde  
avenue, last Monday evening. Mr. F. E.  
Stanley gave an interesting address on  
"The History and Theory of Wages." Refreshments  
followed.

—Grace church parish officers elected  
April 16, 1900, Warden, G. S. Bulens, C.  
M. Leonard; clerk, F. N. Robbins; treas.  
E. A. Philp; vestrymen, J. C. Elms, C.  
W. Emerson, J. H. Wheelock, W. N. Bul-  
lant, C. E. Riley, E. A. Rogers, E. H.  
Cutter; delegates to convention, G. S. Bulens,  
C. W. Leonard, S. E. Warren; delegates  
to archdeaconry, C. F. Wood, M.  
Clark, W. C. Bates.

—Miss Sarah Wray, one of the most suc-  
cessful evangelists of the many who have  
come from England to work in America,  
will speak under the auspices of the local  
Young People's society at the following  
times: Monday evening, April 23, at 8 p.m.;  
Tuesday evening, April 24, at 8 p.m.;  
Wednesday evening, April 25, at 8 p.m.;  
Eliot chapel; Wednesday evening, April 26,  
Baptist church; Thursday evening, April 27,  
Methodist church. Miss Wray is eloquent  
and inspiring in all her addresses, while her  
work in slums or with the churches has  
always been practical and helpful.

—The Ladies Canto Club held its final re-  
hearsal with Mrs. W. L. Hawes on Wed-  
nesday morning. The program consisted  
of part songs by Spence, Hawley, Schu-<br



Cheap washing soaps and powders, too,  
With alkali are strong;  
The dire destruction which they do  
Is sure to show ere long.  
But Ivory Soap will never hurt  
The fabric, how'er tender;  
It makes short work of stain and dirt,  
But no work for the mender.

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#### CITY GOVERNMENT.

AUDITING COMMITTEE SEVERELY CRITICIZED BY ALDERMAN LYMAN—HAS NOT THOROUGHLY PERFORMED ITS DUTIES HE SAYS—BREEZE THAT COMPLETELY PHASED THE BOARD MEMBERS—MATTER LAID ON THE TABLE.

In terms that could in no way be misunderstood, Alderman Lyman took exceptions at last Monday evening's meeting to the manner in which the auditing committee had performed its duties, or better the neglect it had been guilty of.

At the close of the reading of a report from the auditing committee, Alderman Lyman announced the report as false from the first letter to the last. A charge of such a sensational nature coming in the midst of a meeting, most of which had been devoted to ordinary matters of routine business, took the board by surprise, and for some moments the members did not know whether to take Alderman Lyman's remarks seriously or not.

The report of the committee was relative to the examination of the city's bills for March, and was to the effect that the committee had looked them over, also the accounts of the city auditor, and had found everything correct.

The members of the committee were recovering from the effects from the bomb, which had so suddenly been dropped in their midst. Alderman Lyman continued his remarks. He said it is false when the committee state in their report that they have performed their duty. Every report from this committee for the last year and a half has been false, and I move that the report be referred back to the committee. As none of the members of the board has to this date, Alderman Lyman again took the floor and said:

In this board such a statement as I have just made is worthy of a second. During the last eighteen months there has been disbursements from the city treasury amounting to about \$35,000, yet there never has been an order passed by this board appropriating one cent of it. The head of department hands certain bills to that sum to the auditor, and he has passed them on to the committee of the city.

Alderman Warren said: I was on the auditing committee last year and consider the duties as carried out by the committee a farce. I think the matter should be examined into and second Alderman Lyman's motion.

Alderman Dana here requested that some member of the committee give an explanation of the statements which had been made, and thought the matter too grave to be passed over.

In response to his question, Alderman Lyman took the floor and said that the money had been spent on a sewer project and that as Alderman Dana was chairman of the sewer committee, he ought to have been familiar with it.

Alderman Dana in reply said before a sewer is put in an order must pass this board, which has always been the custom and I should like to inquire if Alderman Lyman infers that the work has been done unlawfully.

Alderman Lyman here stated that the work to which he referred was being done on Wales street. He should like to have the city clerk state if according to his records any order had ever passed the board authorizing the work which was at present in progress.

In reply, City Clerk Kingsbury stated that an order had passed authorizing the work in Wales street, but not where it was going on at the present time.

Alderman Lyman said, I supposed there existed some order authorizing this work before I commenced to investigate, but as there is not, it is the duty of the chief executive to stop the work.

Alderman Fisher, chairman of the auditing committee said: I have not the authority to take it upon themselves to go back into the records and see if certain orders have properly passed the board. The bills for the work are presented by the auditor and the committee goes over the bills and examines into their character. In pursuance of this idea of their duty, the committee have been doing the work entrusted to them, and believe in view of the authority granted the committee.

After some further explanation by the city clerk and remarks by Aldermen Hutchinson and Weeks, it was decided to lay the report on the table, until orders could be prepared for the work at present under way.

Other reports were received from committees as follows:

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS, recommending leave to withdraw on petition of W. S. Appleton that price be set on land taken for water supply purposes.

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recommending approval of the records to date.

The committee on licenses reported recommending granting licenses, Sixth Class Liquor to Joseph A. Miller, M. F. Miller, P. J. Lepois, Fred E. Hubbard, Ward 1; Chas. W. Kinder, Edward F. Partridge, John F. Payne, William C. Gaudet, Ward 2; George H. Ingraham, Albert

#### DEATH OF WM. E. SHELDON.

PROMINENT RESIDENT OF WEST NEWTON FOUND DEAD IN HIS BOSTON OFFICE.

William Evarts Sheldon, a leading West Newton resident and prominent in literary work, died at his office at 3 Somerset street, Boston, at noon Monday.

The end came very suddenly as he was seated at his desk, when a partner, about to approach him on a matter of business, discovered that he had passed away. Mr. Sheldon had been in poor health the past few days, but nothing serious was thought of it by either himself or members of his family.

Mr. Sheldon was born in Dorset, Vt., about 65 years ago. His preliminary education was received in the schools of that place. Later he entered a university at Middlebury and received the degree M. A. from that institution.

Shortly after leaving the university Mr. Sheldon became a teacher. In 1865 he assumed the duties of master of the Hancock school of Boston, later taught at the New Haven Normal school at New Haven, Conn. For a time he was engaged as instructor in the schools of North and East Abington. His last duty in this line was the Waltham grammar school, but he relinquished his position there because of ill health.

Mr. Sheldon removed from his home in Abington to Newton, and took up his residence on Highland street. For a time he had charge of the school in West Newton.

During the latter period he was Mr. Sheldon's engaged in literary work. He occupied the position of manager of the New England Educational Journal and associate editor of the American Primary Teacher. He was prominent as a member of the New England Teachers' Association and National Teachers' Association, and held the office of president and secretary in both organizations.

The Newton Journal, formerly one of the first best organizations in the city, had a firm leader in Mr. Sheldon.

As a republican Mr. Sheldon attained much prominence. In this city he was looked upon as a party "war horse." At the caucuses he was always active and almost invariably chosen a delegate to the different conventions. His knowledge of caucus laws was clearly recognized.

A regular attendant at the West Newton Congregational church, Mr. Sheldon was a devout Christian and held his church in high esteem by many. He is survived by a wife and a daughter.

The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his residence on Highland street. There was a large company of sorrowing relatives and friends present, including many prominent educators and those interested in religious journalism. The officiating clergy were Rev. Dr. T. P. Prudden, minister of the West Newton Congregational church, and Rev. H. J. Patrick, pastor emeritus of the same church. The services consisted of Scripture reading and prayer. There were appropriate remarks by Mr. A. E. Winship. The remains were taken to the Newton cemetery for interment.

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#### Locomobile Operator Fined.

John MacDonald, a locomobile operator, was summoned before Judge Kennedy last Saturday morning for running his machine at a rate exceeding 10 miles. He pleaded not guilty and the case was continued until Monday for a hearing. MacDonald changed his plea and had nothing to say. Chief Tarbox told the court that the man had admitted running the locomobile at a speed of 40 miles an hour. At the hearing, however, he was demonstrating to a possible purchaser the swiftness of the machine. Judge Kennedy remarked that the public streets were not intended for those kind of tests, and when they were to be made some place should be selected, where the rights of the public would not be interfered with. MacDonald was fined \$5.

#### Honors for Col. Haskell.

[Springfield Republican.]

In case Congress authorizes the president to send a commission to China and Japan to study future trade possibilities for the United States in the East, effort will be made to have Col. Edward H. Haskell of Boston appointed as the New England representative. He has been supported by Massachusetts men, from the governor and United States senators down to public officials of all sorts and business men of influence in any number desired. Col. Haskell is well known throughout the state through his service in the civil war, his former secretaryship of the Republican state committee, two terms in the executive council, and so on. He has been conspicuous in promoting the commercial interests of Boston and has been honored by a variety of trade associations. He is a practical student of our foreign trade, and would be as well equipped as anybody to serve on such a national commission as is talked about.

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#### Frye 14, Newton High 12.

Frye school played an errorless game against Newton High at Newton Centre, Monday, and won 14 to 12, Newton making her runs by timely hitting in the third, seventh and eighth innings. The features of the game were the all-round work of Barrington, Godden and Elwell for Frye school, and Holt for Newton High. The score:

	Frye School	Newton High
Astell c.....	1 3 1 0 Ross p.....	1 2 0
Barrington.....	3 6 5 0 Holt 2.....	1 4 3 2
McKee 3.....	1 0 2 0 Fitzrick m.....	1 1 0
Godden p.....	2 4 0 0 Johnson 1.....	0 1 0
Elwell 1.....	10 0 0 Johnson 2.....	0 1 0
Barnard 2.....	0 1 0 0 Leonard 3.....	3 1 0 2
Hawkins m.....	1 4 0 0 Bradley 8.....	1 0 2 0
Cunningham r.....	1 0 0 0 Burns r.....	1 0 2 0
Longmire p.....	0 2 0 0 Thomas e.....	2 13 1 3
Totals.....	12 27 12 0	11 27 11 7
Innings.....	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Newton.....	0 3 0 1 1 4 0 4 3	0 3 0 1 1 4 0 4 3

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## A BURGLAR CAUGHT.

HE ENTERED A WEST NEWTON HOUSE  
BUT THE POLICE CAUGHT HIM.

The Newton police Tuesday night made a most important capture, in the person of a burglar, who had entered the house of R. D. Young, 33 Berkley street, West Newton. The credit for the capture belongs to Lieut. Mitchell and Sergt. Clay.

The Young family are at present away from town, and the house has been in charge of a domestic. About 10:30 o'clock last evening, as she entered the house, she detected the odor of tobacco. She was badly frightened a minute later by seeing a man coming down the stairs with a big bundle under each arm. She ran from the house to a neighbor's, who at once notified the police.

Lieut. Mitchell, who was on duty at headquarters, by means of the police signal system, soon had every officer in the city on the lookout for the man. Sergt. Clay with a squad of officers was sent to the scene, and men were posted to guard every street leading from the hill. As the sergeant was standing on Austin street he saw a man board the 10:53 car of the Newton Street Railway Company bound for Newton Corner. He knew that the world he would be unable to catch the car. Sergt. Clay ran to the nearest police signal box and telephoned Lieut. Mitchell that the man had boarded the car. The lieutenant decided that the burglar was bound for Boston and would probably leave the car at Nonantum square, Newton. He telephoned station 1 for the officers there to arrest the man. When the car reached that square the police officer was there to meet him, the man was arrested.

When searched at station 1, a complete set of burglar's tools was found in his possession and also a bottle of chloroform. In two big bundles which he carried was a quantity of money, silverware, furs and clothing, all valued at about \$600. All this, it is supposed, was stolen from the Young residence. The burglar was taken to police headquarters at West Newton. He refused to give his name or any particulars regarding himself. He is about 26 years old, 5 feet 11 inches in height, light complexion.

The Young house was entered by forcing a rear pantry window. Inside everything was in confusion. Quantities of clothing, silver ware and other articles were thrown about the floor. The watch dog was found locked in a bathroom upstairs.

The man was identified on Wednesday by Chief Inspector Munyon of Boston, as George E. Hayes, who had served 3 years in a burglar in Brookline, and afterwards 2 years for breaking and entering schoolhouses in Cambridge. In court Wednesday Cummings was bound over in \$10,000 for the Young burglary, to which he pleaded guilty, and a second charge was brought against him for breaking into Barber Bros.' store, and he was bound over in \$2,000 on this charge. Three knives, which Mr. Barber identified, were found upon him.

In the man's pocket was a memorandum book containing the names and addresses of some of Newton's wealthiest citizens, and it was probably intended to call.

His arrest within 20 minutes of the time the police were notified of the burglary, and the good work of the police is commended by all citizens. Cummings admitted that he had been out of jail only about two weeks.

## St. John's Church Fair.

The fair given on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by the ladies of St. John's Episcopal church, Newtonville, was brilliant success in every way, and must have brought a substantial addition to the building fund. It was held in Temple hall, Newtonville.

The decorations of the hall were unique and effective, and were in many novel designs. Red was the predominating color, and quantities of great glowing poppies were mingled with sprays of green in luxurious and artistic profusion. The various tables, in charge of attractive ladies, were decorated after different designs, no two being exactly alike. Some of them had graceful wreaths, at others the poppies were scattered about with apparent carelessness, yet the effect showed that all was the result of a good deal of forethought and study.

A pretty arrangement was a large Japanese umbrella over one of the tables, and from each of its numerous points was suspended a great poppy, making a very pleasing effect. Yet another table was a canopy of green boughs on which were sprinkled red poppies, which gave bright gleams of color. The same scheme of coloring was carried out in the dining room, which joined the hall, excepting that rose pink was mingled with the red of the draperies in a charming manner, and the tables were lighted with green or pink shaded candleabra. The young lady waitresses were dressed in white with red ribbons.

Miss Eva Moore of Melrose street has returned from an eight months' visit to her sister, Mrs. Auscher, in Chicago.

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were the judges for the first night, and the cake was awarded to Jack Farquhar and Frank C. Dorman, although Guy Haskell and E. M. Hallett were a close second. The costumes, especially those of the "ladies," were original and amusing, and the cake walk was voted the great success of the show, calling forth the most enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Colton S. Ober, who has been ill at his home on Central street, is much improved.

Mr. Francis Blake and family of Boston moved to their summer home in Weston on Saturday.

Miss Charlotte Evans of Auburn street returns this week from a visit to friends in Worcester.

Mr. George Keyes of Camden road has returned from a business trip to New Hampshire.

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Mr. Carl Albert, manager of Normandy Park has purchased the E. D. Tucker estate on Winona street.

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were the judges for the first night, and the cake was awarded to Jack Farquhar and Frank C. Dorman, although Guy Haskell and E. M. Hallett were a close second. The costumes, especially those of the "ladies," were original and amusing, and the cake walk was voted the great success of the show, calling forth the most enthusiastic

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NOTICES

of all local entertainments to which admission fee is charged must be paid for at regular rates, 25 cents per line in the reading matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.

SENATOR HOAR's speech on the imperial policy of the present administration is the most important contribution to the discussion of that question that has been delivered. It contains a thorough and impartial history of the business from the very beginning, and so many partial reports have been given out and the chief events have been so censored and twisted about that all who wish to find out the real condition of affairs will be much indebted to Senator Hoar for his masterly presentation of the matter. The speech is of great length, but a large part of it is made up of evidence taken from papers submitted to the Senate and not available to the general public. This is very important as the imperialists have often denied the existence of facts that are revealed by Senator Hoar. The constitutional aspects of the case are also exhaustively presented, and then Senator Hoar proceeds to his indictment of those responsible for this policy, which is not matched for force and ability in any public speech in our history. It is the duty of every citizen who wishes to have an intelligent opinion on this question to read the speech, and the fact that it was made by such a faithful Republican as Senator Hoar will cause it to be read by those who would never look at it if it had come from another man. Senator Hoar's reply to his critics is certainly crushing, and it is no wonder that it has caused dismay among the imperialistic ranks who see their evasions and perversions of facts and their puerile charges shown up in such an unanswerable fashion. The speech will rank with the great orations of Daniel Webster and other great leaders of thought in our history, and its length does not make it dry reading, as the extracts which have appeared in the daily papers are a sufficient proof. The Senator pleaded for a return to the principles of justice and truth, that have hitherto characterized our history, before the new policy of commercialism and piracy was adopted.

THE BOSTON TRANSCRIPT is authority for the statement that Senator Lodge is seriously displeased with Representative McCall, and thinks of having a resolution censuring him passed at the State House Convention. Senator Lodge is however perplexed because he is afraid that the resolution might be taken as a censure on Senator Hoar, whom he does not dare to attack openly and so he is seriously concerned at the situation. To say anything against the senior senator would be to endanger the success of McKinley in this state and to loosen Mr. Lodge's hold upon the party, and so after all Mr. McCall may escape punishment for his crime. It is also a matter that is troubling the bosses that Mr. McCall is the one man in our Congressional delegation who has made a national reputation and is therefore regarded as something of a hero, while the rest who have tamely swallowed their convictions at the demand of the bosses, have won neither honor or respect. Mr. Lodge would be wise to leave Mr. McCall alone and his boss-ship is not so securely established that he can afford to take any chances.

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES were conducted under the new law, but the small attendance and the lack of interest should not be construed as any objection to the law. There is nothing about the national convention to arouse an interest among the people as it appears to be all decided already. Even the fact that Newton is to have a candidate for Congress did not call out the voters, as there is no opposition to Mr. Powers in Newton nor in the district, as far as can be seen.

THE STARVING PORTO RICANS are to be treated to a great show up on the inauguration of Governor Allen, in order to reconcile them to the present conditions of things. That was the way Napoleon is said to have kept the Parisians happy, during his costly wars, and in seeing the magnificent shows given up for them they forgot how severely they were taxed and the scarcity of food and their other sufferings. The inauguration of the first government of our first crown colonies is certainly worthy of some special celebration.

THE WEATHER yesterday must have been like that of 125 years ago, when the patriots gathered at Concord and Lexington and the grass was high enough to hide a man. It was the warmest 19th since 1891, with 74 in the shade. All roads led to Lexington and Concord and every one was out.

Hunnewell Club Notes.

Candle pins were the attraction on the alleys yesterday, and a large number of members tried their luck. The prize for the three best strings went to C. W. Loring, 93-94, with Burbeck second and Ryder third.

Newton Education Association.  
Prof. Edward Howard Griggs, formerly of Leland Stanford University, spoke in the hall of the High school building, Newtonville, last evening, on "The Influences of the Parent and the Teacher in the Moral Education of Children."

The speaker said the great work of our public schools was not to teach facts, but to build characters, and that what the world needed was not necessarily good, but what was good for characters. To build such must ever be the teacher's highest aim. A distinction must be drawn between moral education and ethical instruction, the latter being only a small part of the former. Preaching at children has little effect while practising before them has a great influence. The child lives in a personal world and what he knows of right and wrong is what he sees in us and others. Teachers and parents do not realize the great influence of little things upon their children such as tone of voice, or the look on the countenance. Three things should always be borne in mind in the training of children; sincerity, absolute justice, and love. The latter can best be shown in the behavior of love which is courtesy. Let us never treat our children in anything but a courteous manner.

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WAR AGAINST THE WILL OF GOD.

By Count Lys of Tolstoy.

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1900 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

On the premises known as the Barker Land, consisting partly of three lots of 14,118 sq. ft., 9,280 square feet, and 8,126 square feet, fronting on GALEN STREET; two of these being CORNER LOTS. Also one lot of 7,220 sq. ft., fronting on HUNT STREET, adjoining the corner of GALEN ST.; Also 14,520 sq. ft., fronting on MAPLE STREET, adjoining the corner of GALEN STREET, which will be sold in one lot or divided into two or three smaller lots if so desired.

All of these lots are very choice being on the line of 50 electric to Boston, and about equally distant from the Boston and Albany Steam Road at Newton, and the Fitchburg Steam Road at Watertown in a thickly settled and desirable neighborhood.

Sale Positive without reserve as to price to close the accounts of the Executors and Trustees. Buyers cannot help realizing a handsome profit on any purchase at this sale.

60 per cent of the purchase price can remain on mortgage if desired for one year at 5 per cent interest, balance in cash within 30 days of day of sale, or all cash can be paid at purchaser's option. \$200 cash deposit required from the purchaser of each lot at time and place of sale.

Further particulars can be obtained of the auctioneer.

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—Miss Nellie B. Turner of Court street is visiting friends in Belchertown.

—Mr. C. B. Cottong and family will move this week to Oakleigh road, Newton.

—Mr. G. H. Macomber and family have moved into the Ross house on Clyde street.

—Mr. Henry Colburn has returned from a few days' shooting trip in the woods of Maine.

—Mr. A. F. Cook and family will move the first of the month from Turner street to Allston.

—C. Mahoney of Charlestown has moved into the Meagher house on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. Charles Twitchell left this week with a party for Cape Nome and the Klondike region.

—Mr. Wood and family of Malden are moving into the Knight cottage on Clarendon street.

—Mrs. John Cutler, who has been very ill at her home on Walker street, is reported as improving.

—Mrs. J. W. Bergstrom has been in Abington this week, visiting her mother, Mrs. J. F. Curtis.

—Mrs. Seaver, who went to Jamaica with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Luke, returned the last of the week.

—Mr. J. Edward Tipper has purchased of George W. Watson a lot of 18,382 feet of land on Jenison street.

—Mr. and Mrs. James McNamee of Lowell, avenue returned Monday from their extended southern trip.

—Mrs. W. P. Soule of Walker street continues leaving this week for Washington, D. C., to visit her son.

—Miss Katherine Hutchinson, soprano soloist of Boston, will assist the choir of the Universalist church, Sunday morning.

—Miss Edith Burton, who has been the guest of Miss Josephine Pierce of Clyde street, has returned to her home in Worcester.

—Frances J. Hurley has bought of Mr. and Mrs. Calixte Roy a frame house and land on West street, near Watertown street.

—Mrs. Jean Sears Millard, formerly of Cambridge, has been engaged to sing the coming year at the Central Congregational church.

—Miss Alice Dyson will be in charge of the meeting of the junior young people's society at the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. L. S. Coombs and family have moved from Beach street to the Claffin house on Walnut street, which Mr. Coombs recently purchased.

—Gethsemane Commandery, some 70 strong, attended the Knight Templar Easter service held at Tremont street, last Sunday afternoon.

—At a business meeting of the High School Masters' Club, held in Boston last Saturday afternoon, Mr. Enoch C. Adams was chosen president for the year.

—Edwin and Winslow Sampson, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. E. W. Sampson of Washington street, returned Monday to their school in New York.

—Mr. D. C. Heath of Highland avenue was in Portland, Me., Tuesday, where he went to attend a conference regarding the coming celebration of Maine, "Old Home Week."

—At the residence of Mrs. Frank J. Weston on Walnut street last Monday afternoon, a very successful bundle party was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Columbia Whist Club.

—A union meeting of the Ladies' Missionary Society was held at the Central church, Wednesday afternoon, April 23d. Mrs. Ireland, from Africa will be present and make an address.

—A very successful Easter candy sale was held in the Central church parlors last Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 6 o'clock, Miss Louise Wakefield, Miss Minnie Boynton and others were in charge.

—General Manager H. B. Parker was present at the formal opening of the Lexington & Boston Street Railway last Saturday afternoon, May 2d. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edward Hooper of Austin street have been entertaining this week Hon. and Mrs. John H. Kimball of Bath, Me., and Mr. Harry Forbes Prentiss of the Highland Military Academy, Worcester.

—The ladies of the Central church have in preparation "A Bachelor's Banquet" and "Cups and Sauers," a musical sketch by George Grossmith, Jr., to be given for the members of the congregation and their friends in the chapel next Tuesday evening.

—In the parlors of the New church this evening the closing social event of the season will be held. A supper is to be served and an entertainment by the organists will follow. The committee in charge consists of Miss M. C. Worcester, Mrs. W. C. Richardson and Mr. H. S. Kempton.

—A Sunday school Easter service was held at the Central church, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. The pastor, Rev. O. S. Davis, told in an interesting way the story of Jesus' early life from Easter to Ascension, illustrating the different events and moods by music from the children and the quartet.

—Mrs. Emily Lillian Washburn, daughter of Mr. G. W. Washburn, to Harry Wilcox of Orford, N. H., took Newton at her home on Court street, at 9:30 Wednesday morning, Rev. O. S. Davis officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox left immediately for a trip in New Hampshire and Vermont, and they will reside in Windsor, Vt., where Mr. Wilcox is in business.

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Mrs. I. O. Palmer with violin accompaniment by herself and piano accompaniment by Mrs. P. W. Carter.

—Since the reduction of gas April 1st, to \$1.25 net there has been a marked increase in the sale of gas stoves.

—John Whalen has entered the employ of Adams Express Company and his place with the Newtonville Cab Company has been taken by Daniel Lynch.

—The annual meeting of the Universalist church was held last Wednesday evening. The annual reports were read, the treasurer's report showing a balance in the treasury. The same board of officers were elected for the coming year.

—Mrs. Nellie Brown has issued invitations this week for the marriage of her daughter, Miss Nettie Etta Dockendorff Brown to Mr. George Gordon Webster, the ceremony to take place at Grace church, Newton, Monday evening, May 7th, at 8 p.m.

—A very successful Easter sale under the auspices of the Lend a Hand, was held in Dennis Hall, Monday afternoon and evening. The prevailing colors of the decorations were pink, green and white. The fancy table was arranged by Mrs. E. H. Jenness; candy table, Miss Adeline Bartlett; lemonade table, Miss Edith Green and apron table, Miss Hattie Calley. Green was enjoyed from 9 to 11 o'clock. A satisfactory sum was realized and will be used for charity work and the country week.

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"Ethical Characteristics of Music," with musical illustrations.

—Miss Gertrude Maynard has returned from her trip to Chicago.

—The Lafayette Associates' dance will take place in Odd Fellows' hall next Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. George H. Phelps and Miss Marie Phelps of Highland street leave next week for a European trip.

—Mr. Walter Fiske of Washington street, who has been ill at the Newton hospital, is reported as recovering.

—Next Thursday evening in Odd Fellows' hall the third degree staff of Newton Lodge 92, I. O. O. F., will work the third degree on about seventy candidates from Trapelo Lodge, which was recently organized in Waverley.

—The many friends and patrons of Harris E. Johnnot, electrician, will be pleased to learn that he has opened an office in Elio block, Newton, No. 390 Centre street, where he will be happy to set his friends and show them new novelties in electrical apparatus.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold a donation meeting at the home of Mrs. Eliza Rowe, Shaw street, next Tuesday evening at 7:30, for the benefit of the Willard Y Settlement. Mrs. Caswell will address the meeting. Each member is requested to donate a pound of groceries.

—Mr. Harry P. Spalding, formerly of Newton, will give a sketch of his plans in water colors at the neighborhood Club house on Friday and Saturday April 27 and 28, afternoon and evening. Admission by card of invitation to be obtained from members of the club.

—Mrs. Murphy, the celebrated delineator of Negro customs and dialect, will give readings at Warren hall, Peirce school building, Monday evening, April 30. These readings will take the place of those which were to have been given by Prof. J. W. Churchill of Andover, recently deceased.

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## LOVE AND MARRIAGE IN SOCIETY.

By Mrs. Russell Sage.

The income necessary for a young couple starting out in life together in New York and wishing to continue in the fashionable set is altogether relative. The lowest possible figure is \$5,000 a year—but it could be done for that by careful expenditure and the wholesale and wholesome disregard of opera boxes, theatre tickets, carriages, etc.

I am acquainted with a very charming woman who is in a distinctly fashionable clique, but lives on the extreme west side of the city because she can't afford to live in the vicinity of Fifth avenue. She manages to dress well, keep up a good appearance and a swell circle of friends, and commands even less than that named above. She rarely entertains, however, as she resides in rather a small apartment, but she and her husband are invited to everything worth attending simply because she is so brilliant and clever and entertains by her wit and originality those who invite her. In this way she more than repays their hospitality. This couple received no less than twenty-five invitations for Thanksgiving Day.

Many years ago when rich fathers

make the mistake of depending upon them for their future support, and for that reason make no effort to obtain employment for themselves. I have a case of this sort in mind—that of a young man who had a wealthy father and never considered the possibility of misfortune overtaking him. This young man was in love with a rich girl, but she did not care for him, and eventually he married a woman with no money at all; but as he had plenty from his father, he didn't mind the financial disaster overtake the present, however, and in consequence the son became penniless. Then it was that the rich girl whom he had formerly loved, showed her noble nature. Unknown to any one she gave the young couple financial assistance until the youthful husband obtained employment.

Much stress is often laid upon the fact that wealthy men are on the lookout for wealthy husbands for their daughters, and in this case, as a rule a father prefers to see his daughter married to a good, honorable, ambitious young man who has no fortune, rather than to an idle, fashionable fop who cares for nothing in life but "clubs, clothes and a competency."

Poor young men should not allow false pride to stand in the way of their accepting the love of a rich girl, for if a man has ambition the fortune is but a stepping stone to his goal.

Sometimes, however, the thing doesn't work out well. I remember distinctly the case of a young man who was a very promising architect—I expected great things of him. He married a very wealthy girl. Well, she simply ruined him—carted him off to Europe, on the go all the time. If he attempted to settle down to work she pouted and sulked until he quit, and altogether she smothered every spark of ambition there was in him. Now he is a nobody—and that's because he married a rich girl. What do you think of a woman like that? For it was all her fault. The great trouble in estimating the cost of living in New York is found in the immense number of unlooked-for expenses that are continually cropping up in the way of concerts, fairs, charity entertainments, etc. A person of any social standing whatever is supposed to subscribe to all these affairs, while people of all large means are simply swamped with tickets of all sorts.

In talking to my physician the other day, I questioned him concerning the reported illness of Mrs. H.

"I understand she has nervous prostration," I remarked.

"No, madam," he made reply; "it's nervous prosperity."

And that's what ails half the society women of the day.

One's expenses in the city may be easily reckoned on one's income. Now old Commodore Vanderbilt told Mr. Sage that it didn't cost him \$10,000 a year to live when he was worth sixty or seventy millions. He had simple tastes, and his tastes remained the same to the day he died.

In regard to the marriage of young people in ordinary circumstances, I have a story in mind of a young man who was employed in Mr. Sage's office at a salary of \$50 a month. He was nineteen years of age and fell in love. He came to me and asked me to intercede with Mr. Sage, that he might receive an increase of salary and thus be enabled to marry. I told him I would do nothing of the sort until he was twenty-one and old enough to vote—when, perhaps, he would be old enough to marry. At that time I considered him worse than a goose; he was a mere gosling. When he was twenty-one, Mr. Sage gave him the desired increase, and he married. In about a year's time he came to my husband with the news that a baby had been

## SHALL SUNDAY BE "LORD'S DAY."

By Martinelli, Delegate Apostolic to the United States.

The Latin races have used the word "Dominicæ"—Day of the Lord, to designate the first day of the week since the reign of Pope Sylvester I, who ruled the Church from A. D. 314 to 337. From the beginning we find that all those people who derive their language from the Latin—the French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese—do not honor a heathen god in the specific title which they give to the day which we call holy, but they call it, as we do in ecclesiastic Latin, "Lord's Day"—"Dominicæ"—in Spanish, Italian and Portuguese, and "Dimanche" in French.

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The teachings of the early fathers tell us that the Holy Ghost descended upon the disciples on Whit Sunday or Pentecost, and this constitutes another reason for the change. The observance of the Sunday or day of rest does not emanate from the natural law, which would indeed require us to worship the author of nature during parts of every day rather than during a whole day of every week.

There is no divine law which commands us to commemorate Sunday. The observance is purely of ecclesiastical origin, dating, however, from the time of the Apostles. But as we have no trace of the Sabbath being observed among the Hebrews before the time of Moses, we need not question the authority of the Apostles to sanctify Sunday and set it apart as the day on which we honor the resurrection of the Son of God.

The Anglo-Saxon word Sunday is the name given to honor the Sun, the divinity considered the most powerful in heathen mythology. The names of the other days of the week are chosen to honor some other divinity, as Monday, the day of the Moon; Tuesday, Mars, the god of war; Wednesday, or Thorday, the day on which Jupiter was remembered; Friday was dedicated to Venus and Saturday to Saturn, the father of Jupiter and Neptune.

I believe that all Christian people should proclaim their belief in the Son of God by honoring His name in the day which they have chosen to consecrate to Him. This great country is a Christian country, and by calling it "Lord's Day" or "Sunday" to honor the Word Incarnate it will bear witness of the truth. In the Latin we used to say "Dies de Dominis"; but this was considered too cumbersome for ordinary use, so the name has become simply "Sunday."

There will be some means of simplifying the English word to meet the popular requirements. We follow the New Testament as our guide and we will find therein many reasons for calling the first day of the week "the Lord's Day." There is but one passage in the New Testament in which we find the first day mentioned specifically as the Lord's Day, namely, in the Apoc. 1, 10. In Acts xx, 7, we are told that St. Paul abode seven days at Troas, and that on the first day of the week the disciples came together to break bread. We have every reason, both from revelation and from tradition, to consecrate the first day of the week to the Son of God, and to name it for Him is consistently and rightly done.

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## WOMAN AND HER ACHIEVEMENTS.

By Julia Ward Howe.

The changes in the position of women which this century has witnessed appear to those who take no interest in them like the wind in a vacuum. This change has been brought about in great part by women themselves, leaders of the sex within the sex; women who have keenly felt the disabilities imposed upon them by law and custom, and who have valiantly striven to win for themselves and their fellows the outlook of a larger liberty and the inspiration of a loftier interpretation of womanly duty.

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A few years later this voice was multiplied. Then and there rose up women who dared to claim the position of the platform, and who succeeded in winning it. Ernestine L. Moss, Lucretia Mott, Mrs. Stanton, Miss Anthony, and Anna Dickinson became known as able and eloquent speakers. Abby Kelly Foster, the Grimbe sisters and May Stone woke the old echoes of New England to a new and brave music. Not without difficulty, not without perseverance were the triumphs of popular oratory won by the sex. No one has established herself more solidly in this field than Mary A. Livermore, who, a tall scholar of Boston Public school, sought admittance to Harvard College more than forty years ago, and was warned off as an innovator of a dangerous type. More fortunate, Lucy Stone put her pennies together and obtained a deck passage to Cincinnati and a place among the pupils of Oberlin College. Even here prejudice would not allow her to read her own thesis at her graduation, and, sturdy in her determination to speak for herself, she refused to do so.

In the early part of this nineteenth century the bread-winning resources of women of the middle or higher classes were limited to needlework, trading or taking boarders. The remuneration commanded by these and kindred services was meagre and uncertain, and offered for the greater number little more than the keeping together of body and soul.

At the period of which I speak even women of fortune possessed nothing immediately after their marriage. The ring which promised to endow them with all the bridegroom's earthly goods really endowed him with all that belonged to them, even to the clothes which they were not their own. The father could dispose of them as he might see fit. Under these circumstances an unborn child might be, and often was, willed away from its mother, who thus could only look forward to the coming of maternity, not the dear companionship which is the sacred and natural reward.

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teachings of the early fathers with the principles of the New England Women's Club, where special meetings were held in its behalf. The extension of the school suffrage to women followed, after much work, the adoption of the amendment by T. W. Higginson, Lucy Stone and Mrs. Livermore all united in pressing this important matter upon the notice of the public. A number of States have conceded so much of the franchise to their women.

A notable gain in the progress of the century has been the employment of women in the care and discipline of criminals of their own sex. Massachusetts now has a model institution of its kind. The rule of its late superintendent, Mrs. Ellen C. Johnson, has been one of power and beneficence united.

Mrs. Josephine E. Butler led a formal protest to render women eligible for service on the School Board. She was met at first with derision and with serious disapproval. The late Abby W. May had much to do with the early consideration of this measure, and the work which finally resulted in its adoption had its first beginning in the parlors of the New England Women's Club, where special meetings were held in its behalf. The extension of the school suffrage to women followed, after much work, the adoption of the amendment by T. W. Higginson, Lucy Stone and Mrs. Livermore all united in pressing this important matter upon the notice of the public. A number of States have conceded so much of the franchise to their women.

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## State Telephone Supervision.

Springfield Republican.

Somebody is always opposing state supervision of the telephone companies, and just now it appears to be the new companies that desire to do business in Massachusetts, although some of the promoters of state regulation are not sure that the New England telephone company, as before, The Newburyport News calls, the report of the committee on manufactures against state supervision a "legislative vagary," and so it is. It would be a pity for the House to substitute the bill for the report as was done. Now let state supervision be insisted upon. We need it more than ever now that Springfield and other places are ready to permit expensive and wasteful rivalry in the telephone business.

## GOOD INFLUENCE OF THE STAGE WOMAN.

By David Belasco.

The bad woman of the modern drama is a good influence in the modern world. I say this fearlessly because I know something of what she has done. The good woman has had the center of the stage for many years. We have all suffered with her sufferings and rejoiced in her happiness, but have we been greatly improved by the spectacle of her joy or of her misery? I think not.

We take the good woman for granted. She has been born good. All her surroundings have been good. If she were bad it would be monstrous, and we should hate her. But being good, we regard her goodness as a matter of course. It does not impress us deeply. It is common.

The bad woman is different. She interests us powerfully, because we are unaccustomed to her. We look upon the good woman as we might on a well-learned lesson, or on the sun, or upon our sisters. She has been our daily companion all our lives.

But the bad woman is something novel. I do not mean to say that bad women are few in daily life, but we do not always know that they are bad. The good woman confides in us. She tells us of her goodness. But the bad woman is reticent. She has all the fascination of a mystery.

The bad woman has worn a mask for many centuries, which has concealed her good qualities as well as her evil ones. In removing this mask the modern drama has done the world a double service. It has shown her critics that the bad woman is not all bad, and it has shown her possible imitators that the life they have contemplated is one of mystery.

Under the glare of the stage lights the bad woman is shown as she really is, as her critics do not know her, as her daily associates do not know her, as no one on this earth knows her except her God and herself, and perhaps, in a lifetime, one sympathetic friend—or two. I say that this is an impressive spectacle—one not to be lightly cried down, but to be considered and remembered and discussed, as one of the most pitiful conditions which confront the world to-day.

Under the mask, perhaps, that the bad woman was born, bad, the childhood was one which stifled every good impulse in her; that she never could have been good, and yet in that woman's life comes a day when she would give her heart's blood—when she would go down into hell, if by so doing she could gain the right for even one day to call herself pure.

What a spectacle, what a sublime warning, what a mountainous example is seen there! How vast and terrible is the life which she is born of a good life! I myself have seen women leave the theatre after an hour of Camille or Zaza with every atom of their better nature in revolt against the life they led. Perhaps the impulse passed. Perhaps their environment was too strong, and they fell back once more into the old life. But I say that if only for a day, an hour, nay, a moment, the modern drama brings pure emotions to those worn hearts, it has not been vain, and yet in that affects such a life, how much more powerful must be its influence upon better women who, perhaps at the moment, are struggling against the temptation to do wrong.

There is where the bad woman of the modern drama exercised her influence for good, and the good woman herself possesses no power which will even compare with it. It is well, I believe, that the world should not forget the stage, which goes by an evil life, nor the fairness which it should extend to the penitent and yet it is for preaching these truths that the modern drama is condemned. The gentlemen of the pulpit cry out upon us that the bad woman should have no place in poetry, in literature, no place upon the stage, yet they give the lie to their teaching by bestowing upon her a place in the churches, for Mary Magdalene was a bad woman and the story of her repentence is preached from every pulpit in Christendom. When the women of a Christian country cry out, as they do, that fallen women cannot rise

A Western Republican View.  
[From the Chicago Evening Post, rep.]

In truth, the bill has been jammed through in defiance and contempt for the people, in order to " vindicate" the organizations of the dominant party in the two houses. They had blundered, and lacked the courage to retrieve the fatal error. Selfishness and pride triumphed over principle and enlightened consideration of the party's real interests. The Porto Rican act is un-republican and un-American. It not only levies a tariff upon an American possession, but it denies citizenship to the Porto Ricans, mocks them by "deeming" them citizens of Porto Rico (which is not a state) and have no citizens and gives them carpet-bag and alien rule by providing that a majority of the senate shall be Americans.

The civil provisions of the Foraker bill are ill-conceived, ill-digested and a farago of nonsense. The House never even considered them. The question could not safely be reopened, for the gain by the free state of the week's time would have wiped out the miserable victory of eight and insured the success of reason and principle. The people will yet be heard from. The day of reckoning is nigh.

The bad woman is different. She interests us powerfully, because we are unaccustomed to her. We look upon the good woman as we might on a well-learned lesson, or on the sun, or upon our sisters. She has been our daily companion all our lives.

But the bad woman is something novel. I do not mean to say that bad women are few in daily life, but we do not always know that they are bad. The good woman confides in us. She tells us of her goodness. But the bad woman is reticent. She has all the fascination of a mystery.

The bad woman has worn a mask for many centuries, which has concealed her good qualities as well as her evil ones. In removing this mask the modern drama has done the world a double service. It has shown her critics that the bad woman is not all bad, and it has shown her possible imitators that the life they have contemplated is one of mystery.

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Mr. Brooks: "Yes; if he doesn't look sharp." —Puck.

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again, they give the lie to Christ himself, who said to the mob, "Let him who is without sin among you cast the first stone," and then to the woman, "Go and sin no more!"

AMERICAN HORSES IN RUSSIA. (By W. R. Holloway, Consul-General at St. Petersburg.)

A few years ago American horses could start in all races in Russia, but they were so much faster than the Russian horses that they were barred from the big races in order to protect their own interest; but as a majority of Russian horsemen now own American horses, and more are constantly being bought, there is a growing sentiment in favor of their being permitted to start in all races except those intended exclusively for Russian horses. At the present time the recent change from quarterly to monthly form is more than justified by the increased interest and freshness of the record. Some such summary of the months' news—covering the whole ground in concise form and readable style, gathering up the threads lost in the course of ordinary newspaper reading, and valuable as a permanent work of reference to which one can always turn for all the essential facts—is an absolute necessity to any one anxious to keep himself and family in touch with the life of the world. The low price of the publication—now reduced from 40 cents to 15 cents a number—puts it within the reach of all. (Boston, Mass. Current History Co. \$1.50 a year; 3 months' trial subscription, 25 cents.)

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State Telephone Supervision.

Springfield Republican.

Somebody is always opposing state supervision of the telephone companies, and just now it appears to be the new companies that desire to do business in Massachusetts, although some of the promoters of state regulation are not sure that the New England telephone company, as before, The Newburyport News calls, the report of the committee on manufactures against state supervision a "legislative vagary," and so it is. It would be a pity for the House to substitute the bill for the report as was done. Now let state supervision be insisted upon. We need it more than ever now that Springfield and other places are ready to permit expensive and wasteful rivalry in the telephone business.

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Be it remembered, That on the seventeenth day of March, 1900, Harriet Prescott Spofford, of Newburyport, Mass., hath deposited in this office the title of a book the title or description of which is in the following words, to wit: The Devil's Night. By Harriet Prescott Spofford. Boston. Little, Brown and Company, 1900, the right whereof she claims as author in conformity with the laws of the United States.

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. George Pearson has shipped on the naval vessel "Lancaster."

—Mrs. Mansfield of Connecticut is visiting at the Pelham house.

—Mrs. H. E. Macmillan of Langley road left Tuesday for Brooklyn.

—Professor H. R. Hatch will preach at the First Baptist church on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Day and Mrs. Brickett from Northampton are visiting here.

—Mr. Charles Polley and family of Pelham street moved to So. Weymouth this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris of Oxford road return this week from a visit to New York.

—Mr. S. D. Hodge and family have moved into the J. P. Ward house on Bowen street.

—Wm. Ulmer of Bowen street has taken a position in the bicycle factory in Highlandville.

—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook of Gibbs street left Wednesday for Ticonderoga, New York.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7.30.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Vinal and daughter of Ashton park returned from the South this week.

—Miss Ethel Leach, who has been visiting her home here, has returned to her studies at College.

—About 15 delegates from this village left today to attend the Ecumenical conference in New York.

—The Newton Centre Golf club building has been moved this week from Langley road to Centre street.

—Since the reduction of gas April 1st, to \$1.25 net there has been a marked increase in the sale of gas stoves.

—Mr. George E. Allen and family of Centre street, Newton, are moving to Crescent avenue this week.

—Mr. Edwin L. Dill, the Waltham caterer, has opened a store in the Coolidge building on Centre street.

—Mrs. F. C. Hatch of Grant avenue with her family are spending two weeks with relatives in New Jersey.

—Mr. John Boyd, proprietor of the New Furniture Company, has opened a store this week on Langley road.

—Dr. R. P. Loring has been elected a Councillor of the Middlesex South District Medical Society for the coming year.

—"Uncrossed Bridges" will be the topic at the meeting of the Hale Union at the Unitarian church on Sunday evening.

—"Willing and Doing" will be the subject at the meeting of the Young People's Union at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening.

—Oliver H. Story, Esq., returned Friday from Cuba, where for four months he was in charge of exploration work in the Province of Santiago.

—The many friends of Mr. Wm. H. Coffin will sympathize with him in the loss of his son, William, who died in Colorado Springs last Saturday.

—The many friends here of Mrs. Wm. Forbes, who knew her as Clara Armstrong, will be pained to learn of her death in Moncton, N. B., last Sunday.

—Mr. Theodore H. Skinner has purchased of the Massachusetts Baptist convention a dwelling house with a parcel of 21,109 feet of land on Cypress street.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Wendte, at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Hale Union in the parlors at 7.30. All are welcome.

—Last Wednesday evening in Bray hall a cotillion was held by the pupils of the dancing class under the direction of Mrs. M. N. West of Newtonville. Dancing was from 9 to 12. Music Atwood's orchestra.

—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McFarland on Centre street last Tuesday evening a very successful whist party was given. During the evening the host and hostess were presented with a handsome banquet lamp.

—Mrs. W. F. Kimball will give her annual talk for the benefit of the work of the Universalist Sewing Circle on Wednesday afternoon, May 24. Tickets at 50 cents, each may be obtained of Mrs. Kimball, 16 Harvard street, Newtonville. 2t

—The many friends and patrons of E. J. Johnnot, electrician, will be pleased to learn that he has opened a shop in Eliot block, Newton, No. 390 Centre street, where he will be happy to see his friends and show them new novelties in electrical apparatus.

—At the residence of Mr. W. H. Rice on Centre street last Tuesday evening a large company was present to hear Mr. Sam Walter Foss give readings from his own writings. There was also a sale of sunbonnets and candy. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Maria B. Fisher Missionary society.

—Edward L. Scully, 14, was arrested Monday afternoon by Special Officer Eliot and Patrolman C. R. Young, charged with an attempt to enter the house of the Commonwealth golf club on Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill. Scully and two companions were seen, the police aver, to enter the clubhouse, and Scully's companions escaped when the officers chased them. In the police court Tuesday his case was continued until Saturday.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. N. P. Trickly of Eliot has been suffering from an attack of grippe.

—The next meeting of the Monday club will be with Mrs. Strong, at Waban.

—Mrs. M. C. Stone of Duncklee street has gone to Washington with an excursion party.

—Mrs. Robinson of Walnut street has returned from a stay of two weeks at Ware.

—The C. L. S. C. will meet with Mrs. H. B. Rogers, No. 17 Pierce street, on Monday, April 23.

—Mrs. McLean of Eliot, who was very ill with typhoid pneumonia, is now improving.

—The West End Literary club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Dorr, Dickeyman road, Eliot.

—Since the reduction of gas April 1st, to \$1.25 net there has been a marked increase in the sale of gas stoves.

—Rev. W. L. Sweet of Everett will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church next Sunday morning.

—The Brocklesby estate on Columbus street has been rented to Mr. Hall, the father of Mr. A. K. Hall of Hillside road.

—Mrs. J. F. C. Hyde and daughter, who have spent a part of the winter at Palm Beach, Florida, have now returned in good health.

—Rev. G. G. Phipps will conduct the Unitarian services next Sunday morning. Sunday school concert after the morning service.

—The funeral of Mrs. Webster took place at her late residence on Saturday, Rev. Mr. Havens officiating. Interment at Newton cemetery.

—Mr. H. C. Dimond of Lake avenue, who went to the Barbadoes hoping for improvement to his health, has returned home and is very ill.

—The Rev. T. W. Bishop will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening. Evening subject: "How to Bear Trials."

—Mrs. Susmann and daughter, who have been spending the winter in New York, will soon start for a European trip and will be absent several months.

—Mrs. H. C. Robinson and daughter of Chestnut will soon leave for Kalamazoo, Michigan, where she has a son and daughter residing, and will make a prolonged visit.

—Active efforts are being made to start an opera guild here in this place. A meeting for formation will be held Monday evening at 8 at the Highlands clubhouse. It is hoped all those here who are interested in the game will be present.

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—The Easter Sunday school concert at the Methodist church was very creditable to the committee and children and was greatly enjoyed by a large gathering of parents and friends. The pastor, at the close of his address, presented each member with a fine copy of Winterstein's "Christ." The floral display was much admired.

—Mrs. George M. Stone invited the Monday club to her residence on Walnut street to enjoy a Browning afternoon in place of the regular meeting. Mrs. Stone read a chapter from the "Bible" of Robert Browning," Miss White of Newton Centre sang several pleasing selections. Refreshments were served. The afternoon was concluded by Mrs. Thorpe reading from Elizabeth and Robert Browning's poems. Mrs. Thorpe is a member of the Browning club of Boston and her exquisite interpretation of their poetry shows her rare sympathy and marvelous insight.

Concerning some People who went to the Easter Service.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

On two previous occasions I have taken it upon myself to call attention to the large attendance at all our churches in Newton on Easter day. Every year the humblest chapels and largest buildings are crowded Easter morning and evening. Why do not the same number of persons attend every Sunday?

A very careful count was made awhile ago in one district of our city, and it was found that only two persons out of ten were in the churches in that district that autumn Sunday morning. Allowance was made for the sick and feeble minded, for the babies and those who had to look after them, for the people who went far afield, seeking after novelties in religion, and yet there was the terrible fact that only one-fifth of the well people with sound minds went at public worship that morning.

Suppose the count had been made last Sunday?

How then are we to explain the neglect that is evident on fifty-one Sundays in the year?

Why is not the attendance on ordinary Sundays like that on Easter?

One reason, no doubt, is the fact that some of the people of our city have not the remotest idea that public worship is duty. And yet even the healthiest feel constrained to pay homage to their deities.

Can people live in a Christian land and be less reverential towards the one true God than men who worship idols?

Another reason for the neglect is that some of our neighbors have the notion that they are unbelievers in Christianity. They have studied a little science and a little philosophy, and have learned something of the disputes of religious people over creeds and confessions, said to be outworn, and the result is that they are confused in mind and are disposed to believe in unbelievers, or if not that, then agnostics. The fact is they are neither, and when they are willing to be honest with themselves they will acknowledge their allegiance to the only faith that satisfies reason and heart and conscience.

The special reason for the neglect of regular church going on the part of others is the dread that they will not be welcome. They think of the church as they think of clubs and societies, "You must first get in with a set and then you're in."

Perhaps the church has sometimes seemed to be inhospitable, if not forbidding, but if there is anything that characterizes our Newton churches today it is the desire to welcome every one.

As the president of the ministers union, representing various religious bodies in this city, I can say to the non church going part of our population that they are sure of a warm welcome when they enter any church in our city. Try it next Sunday. You need not wait until next Easter before you come again. Come any Sunday. You cannot come too often. You will be welcome every Sunday in the year.

GEO. W. SHINN.

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The premises will be open during the forenoon of the day of sale for examination of the articles. Commonwealth avenue; electric cars pass the door.

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## SONG AS A GREAT CIVILIZER.

By IRA D. SANKEY.

When God made man he implanted in his breast two forces destined to uplift the human race to the pinnacle of goodness. One was the instinct for worship and one was the instinct for praise, and the instinct for praise expressed itself in song.

The religious fervor of worldly people can be set aright by the power of song, and can be set aright by no other human force, and the enthusiasm of the Godly is sustained by song as no other power, but God's own can sustain it.

I have whole audiences swept into realization of God's love by one little song. This is not the egotism of a singing evangelist. God knows I realize that my voice, such as it is, was His gift, and it has grown and waxed stronger by His grace alone, so that after twenty-five years of service it is still preserved to do His work; but I have seen what I have seen, and I know what I know.

I remember one day in London, when Mr. Moody and myself appeared before an audience of men and women who were avowedly without sympathy for the church. People who were church-goers could not get into that meeting. Most of the men and women present were rough scoffers. No regular clergyman could have induced such as they to reform, but they came to hear us because they had never received an invitation before. The idea of a religious meeting at which church-goers were barred out had started them.

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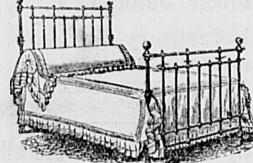
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til recently on Gray Cliff road, Newton  
Centre, and she is now boarding on Centre  
street.

The services in Grace church on Sun-  
day nights are rendered chorally according  
to the old use in the Cathedrals.

Rev. and Mrs. George R. Gross of 30  
Wesley street has reserved Thursdays from  
2 to 10 p. m., for all who wish to call on  
them. Under the direction of the ladies  
of the Methodist church the parsonage in-  
terior has been renovated and greatly im-  
proved.

Dr. Shinn has issued a tract calling the  
attention of ministers and students to the  
careless and unsatisfactory way in which  
the Sacred Scriptures are now usually read  
in public services. He makes a plea for  
better reading because of the importance  
of the topics in themselves and also be-  
cause such reading becomes helpful in im-  
pressing religious truth.

Newton Lodge 21, A. O. U. W., re-  
ceived a visit from Assistant Supervisor  
W. R. Forbush on Tuesday evening. One  
candidate was initiated. Visitors were  
present from Waltham, Gen. Hunt, John  
Elliot, Aburndale, Garfield City, Boston,  
Everett and Waltham lodges. After the  
meeting refreshments were served and re-  
marks were made by the visiting Brothers.

REAL ESTATE.

Charles P. Cogswell has purchased a  
house and 27,070 feet of land fronting on  
Hull street and a new street called Dexter  
road, Newtonville, from Elias B. Jones  
and wife.

About 8000 feet of land in three par-  
cels, all fronting on Abbott street, have  
passed to the ownership of Oliver G. Bill-  
ings. Edward A. Wheeler is the grantor.  
Jane L. Palmer has sold a building lot  
containing 6929 feet of land on Hammond  
street, Newton Centre, to J. D. Morse.

At Newton Highlands a parcel of land  
having an area of 16,700 feet, with good  
frontage on Lake avenue, has been sold by G.  
W. Crawley to A. F. Eaton.

A small parcel on Lake avenue has been  
sold by Margaret A. Bradson to Ella B.  
Pennell. There are 1116 feet of land.

NEWTON CLUB.

A company of nearly 200 Newton club  
members and their fair guests enjoyed the  
"ladies' whist" at the clubhouse in New-  
tonville Wednesday evening. From 8 to  
10.30 there was playing at 40 tables, and  
prizes were won by Mrs. C. W. Hamilton,  
Mrs. F. L. Nelson, Mrs. Estelle, Mrs. M.  
M. Messer, Mrs. W. H. Rogers, Mrs. E. S.  
Merchant and Mrs. G. L. Forrestall.

An attractive feature of the evening was  
the award of those prizes for the highest  
scores made during the season. The suc-  
cessful ones were Mrs. E. S. Merchant, who  
received a silver-mounted cut-glass pitcher  
offered by Mr. F. E. Whiting, and Mrs. W.  
H. Rogers, the fortunate captor of an oil  
painting offered by Mr. F. E. Marston.

Base Ball.

Yesterday on Hyde's field the ninth  
grade and the eighth grade of the Bigelow  
school played a game of base ball. The  
ninth won by a score of 40-43. The play-  
ers were as follows: Ninth—Sullivan, Maher,  
Hunt, Spencer, Stearns, Lunt, Young, Howes,  
Wilson, Eighth—Coggswell, Hunt, Hobart,  
Pevere, Ware, Cogswell, Fearing, Spencer.

Last Saturday the two boys teams of  
Newton, the Algonquins and the Hunnewells  
played a good game. The Algonquins won  
by a score of 33-15. The best work for  
the Algonquins was done by J. Earle,  
Searns and Ware. Hunt and Lunt did the  
best for the Hunnewells.

Death of Horace Cutler.

Mr. Horace Cutler, one of the oldest resi-  
dents of Newton, died last Friday after-  
noon at his home, 200 Franklin street.  
Death was due to peritonitis, with which  
he had been ill for several days.

Mr. Cutler was about 85 years of age,  
and was a native of Amherst. He was edu-  
cated in the public schools of that place,  
and after graduation was postmaster there  
for 29 years. During that time he was  
a clerk of the North Congregational church,  
and for several years held the office of town  
clerk.

On resigning from his office as postmas-  
ter he removed to Plainfield, N. J., and  
later to Brooklyn, N. Y. Here he engaged  
in the shoe business under the firm name of  
Horace Cutler & Sons. He retired from  
active life in 1882, and for the last 16 years  
had resided in Newton.

During his residence in Newton he had  
attended the Grace Episcopal church.

The deceased was a grandson of Major  
David Cutler of Revolutionary fame, and  
was a member of the Order of the Cincinnati.

He leaves a widow and two sons—  
Edward P. and Ethan H. Cutler.

The funeral took place at 2 o'clock Mon-  
day afternoon, from his late residence and  
Rev. Dr. Shinn officiated.

Walter U. Lawson Married.

The marriage of Miss May Elizabeth  
Lennon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D.  
Lennon, to Walter Uhler Lawson of Lowell,  
took place Wednesday afternoon in St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal church,  
Convent avenue and One Hundred and  
Forty-first street, New York.

The Rev. Dr. John Patay, the rector,  
officiated at the ceremony, which was  
followed by a reception at the home of the  
bride's parents, 210 Convent avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennon are the parents of  
Miss Helen Denver Cowen of Cincinnati,  
Ohio, and Miss Blanche E. Darling of  
New York. Paul Butler of Lowell, a son  
of the late Gen. Benjamin F. Butler, was  
best man. The usher was E. S. Jaffray  
of Arthur S. Leland, Sydney Grant and Harry  
Lamb of New York, Col. Henry Hastings  
of Boston and Frederick Warren Stickney  
of Lowell, and George Reed Richardson of Lowell.

Miss Sarah Wray of London, Eng.

Miss Sarah Wray, one of the most impres-  
sive women speakers now in America, has  
been secured by the Young People's societies  
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Thursday evenings respectively, at 7.45.

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States and for a short time did very suc-  
cessful work in connection with the Salvation  
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Soon after she became interested in the  
work of the World War, and became an  
assistant to Col. Hadley, who was then  
in charge of the St. Bartholomew mission in  
New York. When he organized the Church  
Army in New York, and in this capacity she  
visited many Episcopal churches and ad-  
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**THE LEGISLATURE.**

[Special Legislative Correspondence]

Boston, April 25.  
The House has begun morning sessions, which is a very necessary thing for it to do if it endeavors to cut down its orders of the day of 20 pages to anything like a decent length. The House is very niggardly in its treatment of the upper branch, passing a very few measures along for discussion there, and of course the result is going to be that sometime between the middle and the last of May the Senate will be sitting and sweating over the matters the House should have given it long before; while the members of the House will hold the Senate up to ridicule as a slow old body anyhow.

Mr. Langford, in the chair of the water supply committee, attempted on Monday to get light on a very peculiar bill. It was the petition of the mayor of the city of Worcester for an act to acquire additional land and rights to increase its water supply; and providing that the city might take and hold by purchase or otherwise such lands in fee or otherwise, easements and rights of way in the towns of Holden, Paxton and Leicester, as the city council of the city of Worcester may from time to time judge necessary. That section was remarkable enough, but the third section was even more so, as it provided that the city for the purpose of defraying all costs and expense, incident to the acts authorized, etc., and for necessary expenditures in connection with the improvement, development and extension of its water works, should be authorized to borrow from time to time such sums of money as the city council should vote, and issue therefore its notes, bonds, or certificates of indebtedness. Such securities were to be denominated "Worcester water script," to be payable at such time or times as the such rate of interest as said city council may determine. In other words, the city council of Worcester may, by this bill, go anywhere within certain limits, help itself to any lands or other property it desires, issue anywhere from \$1,000,000 to \$20,000,000, or more in securities, to run 100 years or a thousand if it pleases, at a rate of interest of from one per cent to 100. Undoubtedly, this is the broadest bill that has come into the general court this year. Nothing could be more sweeping, could be more useless, than a vote of Massachusetts was presented to the city of Worcester as a source of water supply. The funny part of it is that the executive and legal authorities at Worcester are unable to see that anything is the matter with this measure.

As a contrast to this, the committee on the same day had a modest petition from Pittsfield for authority to issue a few thousand dollars in water bonds. This bill, with 2,000 inhabitants, is thus to spend \$160,000 for her water supply. Worcester, last year, was authorized to spend \$750,000 additional, and nobody seems to know what use she made of that authority.

The metropolitan committee took a trip on Friday to Lynn, Wakefield, and Stoneham, looking over locations for boulevards. The probability is that the committee will recommend the use of all the available bills, but it is understood that so far as the Lynde boulevard is concerned, strenuous efforts will be made to substitute a bill for the adverse report, if it could come from either the metropolitan or the ways and means committee. Meanwhile, at the request of the metropolitan affairs committee the park commissioners have furnished a list of every purchase and improvement that has been made thus far in the way of streets, parks, boulevards, and backlot given a list of each contemplated improvement or land taking. The commissioner recommended that three expenditures for new work this year. One of them is for the completion of a park in Worcester, which the State, or the district rather, is in honor bound to build under agreement, through which Winchendon has already expended \$90,000 on her part, but it is not clear as to how far the Beach parkway, already partially built, but for which a new appropriation is required. The other expenditure recommended is for rebuilding the bridge at Mattapan, which is in such a dangerous condition that it is considered an unsafe act to longer neglect it.

Meanwhile it will probably interest the readers of the GRAPHIC to know that the metropolitan committee, for whom the committee may be responsible, or which may be laid at the door of the Attorney General's department, the long expected apportionment of the expense of metropolitan parks and boulevards which was to have been assessed this year, and upon which the first payment it was presumed would be made, will have to go over again. A short time since, at the request of the park board the attorney general asked the committee to make a committee to apportion these assessments. When the matter reached the court writs were issued, calling upon the legal representatives of the towns and cities in the district to appear in June. This means, of course, that the commissioners will be appointed at the time, but that it will be utterly impossible to put the first assessment into the state tax of the metropolitan municipalities this year.

Senator Bay did excellent service, on the line that would probably be endorsed by the people of his district, during the discussion on the Cape Cod Canal bill in the upper branch. He offered an amendment to the bill which provided that the board of harbor and land and railroad commissioners, sitting jointly, might decide upon the sum of money reasonably requisite to build the canal, but that only 80 per cent of the amount should be issued by the company, unless it should be found when it had been expended that it was inadequate. This amendment Senator Ray withdrew when he became satisfied that the amendment offered by the friends of the measure and accepted by its opponents covered the ground in a different way. While it would appear to many that the company has secured nothing out of the weeks of debate, in which time the bill had been in the upper branch, it should be noted that it has secured one very important concession. Commissioner Bishop and his associates on the joint board last summer flatly refused the request of Governor Boutwell, acting as counsel for the company, that the entire \$12,000,000 in stock and bonds should be decided by the commission to be reasonably requisite or that such amount should be deducted from the amount in engineers should be so approved. The joint board gave its opinion in its decision that \$12,000,000 would be requisite to build the canal, but permitted only an issue of something like \$120,000. It will be seen, therefore, that notwithstanding all the talk as to stock watering and not notwithstanding the flat refusal of the Senate to agree, that when the case is completed the company will have the right to issue a balance of stock and bonds remaining. It has secured the thing for which Governor Boutwell pleaded before the joint board. What the House will do about this it is impossible to say at this writing.

A bill has been reported in the House by the cities committee to authorize mayors to pass upon or veto certain orders, resolutions, and articles of school committees. Upon this bill Senator Chamberlain and Representative Newton, the two chairmen of the committee, with Messrs. Chadwick of Newton and Cluer of Lowell dissent, and it may be prophesied with some confidence that it will never become a law.

Rev. Wm. H. Cobb of your city acted as chaplain of the Senate yesterday. Chaplain Dowse being under the weather.

Mr. Dean of Brookline has roused to the gravity of the situation and had the Brookline-Newton boundary bill rejected on Mr. Chadwick's recommendation, reconsidered. Evidently, legislation will result from Brookline's late repudiation.

William C. Condit is having a busy week in on his bill to permit the lease of the Fitchburg by the Boston & Maine R. R. It is believed that the bill will be reported without serious amendment.

On Thursday the bill providing that Westminster Chambers on Copley square may remain at their present height, (which measure was introduced by Mr. Chadwick) will come up for debate in the Senate. It is believed that it will be passed this time, although there is strong opposition; as the city of Boston and the General Courts have got tired of the issue. MANN.

**NEWTON.**

Mr. Raymond Loring of Park street is reported improving.

Mr. Allan Emery left this week for a business trip to Texas.

Mrs. Blanche Whitman is the guest of Mrs. E. J. H. Estabrook of Boyd street.

Mr. Gawn Loring of Orchard street left Saturday for a month's trip to England.

Mr. H. W. Ireland and family of Maple terrace have moved to their future home in Allston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Ensign and Mr. Sidney Ensign have returned from their trip to New York.

Mrs. Alfred Ashenden, who has been quite ill at her home on Hunnewell terrace, is slowly improving.

The monthly business meeting of the Worcester people's society will be held at Eliot church this evening.

Mr. Alfred W. Rees has returned from Eastport, Maine, and has resumed his studies in the Corner Market.

Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Davis returns this week from New York and will occupy the pulpit of Eliot church on Sunday.

The Misses Speare entertained the Freedmen's Aid Society at their home on Walnut park yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Philip S. Moxon, who occupied the pulpit of Eliot church last Sunday, was the guest of Mrs. Wade at Chestnut Hill.

Marshall and Kelly have again this year been appointed class photographers to the senior class at the Dana Hall school for young ladies at Wellesley.

The business men's class will meet at Eliot church next Sunday when Hon. Thomas Weston will open the subject "Every Man his own Administrator."

Miss Annie L. Marshall has resigned her position with F. L. Beverly and will take charge of the bakery department in the store of Cobb, Bates & Yerxa, Boston.

At the annual meeting of the general society, Daughters of the Revolution, held in New York, Tuesday, Mrs. A. M. Ferris of Washington street was elected librarian general.

The annual meeting of the Immanuel Baptist church with the reports of various societies and the election of church officers will take place in the vestry this evening.

The season of magnolia blossoms has come and Mr. Chas. F. Rogers' fine tree on Sargent street is now in full bloom. It is one of the few fine specimens of magnolia conspicua in Newton.

At the recent meeting of the Lavender Club there was a large attendance of members and the occasion proved one of great enjoyment. Games and other amusements were followed by refreshments.

At the Immanuel Baptist church next Sunday evening, Rev. Frank B. Matthews will continue his series of sermons on "Gospel Contrasts." His subject will be, "A Great Man and a Great Mystery."

Confirmation is to be administered by Bishop Lawrence at Grace church Sunday evening, May 13. Preparatory lessons are being held in the rector's study, Tuesdays at 4 p. m., and Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.

Kittie Lyons a 13-year-old girl who pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in the Newton police court Tuesday morning, was placed in charge of State Agent Bagley at Mattapan, which is in such a dangerous condition that it is considered an unsafe act to longer neglect it.

The last meeting of the Social Science Club for the season 1899-1900 will be held at the Newell Clubhouse on Wednesday, May 2, at 10 a. m. This will be a business meeting and a large attendance is requested.

The theft of three wheels occurred on last Saturday in this city. Two were taken from the lawn in front of Mr. D. C. Heath's residence on Highland avenue, Newtonville, and another from in front of Mr. Geo. D. Allen's home, 637 Centre street.

Rev. and Mrs. George R. Grose of 30 Wesley street has reserved Thursdays from 2 to 10 p. m. for all who wish to call on him. Under the direction of the ladies of the Methodist church the parsonage interior has been renovated and greatly improved.

The funeral of Mr. Horace Cutler took place yesterday at 2 o'clock from the residence of his son, Ethel H. Cutler of Franklin street. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. G. W. Shinn of Grace church. The interment was in the Newton cemetery.

The Woman's Association met at Eliot church Tuesday afternoon. At the meeting of the Foreign Missionary department an interesting address was made by Mrs. Ireland, founder of the Ireland Home among the Zulus, on the work being done among these people.

At a business meeting of the Young Women's Mission Club held at the Baptist church Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Miss Florence Butterfield; Vice-president, Miss Ethel Harwood; Secretary, Miss Minnie Boynton; Treasurer, Mrs. John W. Brigham; Collector, Miss Emma Safford.

The annual meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E., of the Immanuel Baptist church was held Wednesday evening. The annual reports were read and the following officers elected: President, George H. Safford; Vice-president, Miss A. May Moore; Recording Secretary, Miss George Dupee; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Elva Dupee; Treasurer, Mrs. D. J. McNeish.

The pupils of Miss E. P. Warren gave a piano recital assisted by Miss Edith Loring, mother of the author, on Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. E. H. Johnston, Newtonville avenue. The following took part: Barbara Baisdell, Len Pingree, Grace C. Hague, Marian E. Howe, Eulalia Lovejoy, Ralph S. Howe, H. Palmer, Mr. Millard, Miriam A. Learned, Drusilla Lewis, Evelyn V. Learned.

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In the Channing church parlors last Friday evening the final meeting of the Unitarian club for the season was held and took the form of "ladies' night." The guests of the club were the Rev. Walter F. Green of Watertown and the Rev. Charles W. Wendte of Newton Centre, who with the pastor, Rev. J. B. Coffin, and Mr. Frank D. Estabrook, addressed the "Co-operative Effort among the Churches." The reverend gentlemen spoke strongly in favor of a greater unity of work, of the alliance of the Woman's Alliance in the churches and of a Union Club similar to the Congregational Club to meet at stated intervals at some central place. At the annual meeting these officers were elected: President, Lewis E. Coffin; Vice Presidents, Henry W. Kendall and Dr. D. Waldo Stearns; Secretary, John W. Hahn; Treasurer,

Horace C. Harrington; Executive Committee, Charles F. Rogers, Howard B. Coffin, Frank H. Burt, Abram Byfield and Wm. F. Hammatt.

Letter-carrier Michael J. Barry, attached to the central postoffice, and president of the Newton letter carriers' association, was married Wednesday morning at the Church of Our Lady, to Miss Julia Meehan, daughter of Mr. John Meehan of Newton School street. High mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. J. F. Gaffney. The bride was dressed in white silk and was attended by Miss Mary Sweeney. The best man was Mr. Joseph Barry, brother of the groom. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Barry will make their home in Newton Centre.

"A Thrilling Experience" will be illustrated with beautiful colored stereopticon views by the Evangelist, John M. Dick, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. The song service will also be illustrated in the same manner. Mr. Dick's views are noted for their excellence and his lantern is one of the best. All men will be admitted free. At 15 half price. There will be given an illustration to boys over 11 years of age, subject, "The Light House Keeper." Mr. Dick has given this interesting talk to over 20,000 boys on the Pacific coast since last October. Boys may obtain tickets free by applying to the association for them.

**AUBURNDALE.**

Mr. C. C. Burr of Hancock street left Tuesday for a southern trip.

Mr. C. S. Ober of Central street is able to out after his recent illness.

Dr. W. E. Farris of Central street have moved to Jamaica Plain.

Mrs. H. M. Boyd of Ashby, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Lamson of Central street.

Mrs. C. A. Miner of Lexington street has returned from her visit in North Adams.

Hon. W. P. Fowle of Ash street, who has been seriously ill, is now steadily improving.

Mr. C. W. Hubbard and family of Weston leave the first of May for a European trip.

Mrs. Henry Keyes of Foxboro is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miner of Lexington street.

Mr. Benjamin and family of New York have moved here and have rented the house at 26 Rowe street.

Mr. E. D. Tucker and family of Winona street are moving this week to North Cambridge.

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NOTICES

of all local entertainments to which admission fee is charged must be paid for at regular rates, 25 cents per line in the reading matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.

THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION was not a very exciting affair and there was nothing for it to do except to formally endorse the plans the leaders had arranged in advance. There was some enthusiasm at the mention of Secretary Long's name, at first rather timidly expressed, but growing in volume when the delegates saw that it was to be permitted. The platform was a good deal in the nature of a stump speech, and the planks were supported by rather lengthy arguments, as if their assertions were not self evident. This is rather unusual in a Massachusetts platform, but the political situation is rather uncertain just now, and no one knows just where they may be standing in a few months, so that it is best to be cautious, and that perhaps explains the length of the platform. It will be easy to take any stand under that platform, when the campaign has crystallized, and we find out whether we are for doing our plain duty or for putting on a 15 per cent. tariff. The platform makers had a difficult task but they performed it well, and are entitled to credit. Under our present system of conducting political affairs, conventions are getting to be as useless as the Electoral College.

THEY had rather an interesting time at the Republican state convention in New Hampshire, although the slate which the bosses had prepared went through all right. There were several uncomfortable delegates, who think for themselves instead of being willing to let the bosses think for them, and such men always make trouble. Mr. Remick was one of these and wanted the platform to express something definite in regard to Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, instead of saying that everything was intrusted to the President and Congress. He said: "I want to hang the Declaration of Independence, the Monroe doctrine and Abraham Lincoln out on the wall, and kick imperialism down the back stairs," and the convention hall fairly rang with applause. This startled the managers and Mr. Remick was voted down. Mr. Fellows was another man to make trouble, and he had the effrontry to object to Jones as a delegate, Jones, the many times millionaire brewer, who has always been a Democrat but who is now for McKinley. Mr. Fellows said the reason Jones was put forward was because "the politicians were pulling his leg," and the voting sentiment of the Republicans of New Hampshire was against the renegade Democrat, and his nomination would disrupt the party. Fellows was also voted down, but evidently they still raise men in New Hampshire.

MAYOR JONES of Toledo made an address Tuesday night at the "Liberal Congress of Religion," now being held in Boston, devoting himself mainly to the theory that a man should carry his religion into his business and his daily life. Incidentally he touched upon politics, and the growing discontent with the way we are governed. He said that people are finding out that in paying to be governed as they are they are victims of a swindler. He closed by saying:

"Remember that partisanship and patriotism cannot abide together. No man can serve two masters." If you cannot be a patriot, then you cannot be a partisan.

THE WAY to develop the religious motive in politics today is through absolutely non-partisan political action on the part of every individual. Surrender your party to no party. Own yourselves; be free and freedom is yours.

HONEST politics wins a victory by the turning out of Boss Quay from the nation at Senate. He has made Pennsylvania the most corrupt state in the union, and has pushed his corrupting tactics into the Senate itself, and helped to bring that body into contempt among honest men. His defeat was only by one vote, and most wonderful of all, Hanna, whose reputation is as unsavory as Quay's, is credited with the responsibility of Quay's defeat. It is only a short time since Quay was the most powerful politician in the country and held the place now held by Hanna, but his expulsion from the Senate is a good omen and seems to foreshadow the end of boss rule in politics, with all its unsavory scandals. The expulsion of Quay and Clark raises the average of honesty in the Senate.

THE SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB has at last succeeded in securing recognition for their summer school from the school board. A vote was passed at the meeting Wednesday night allowing them the use of the first floor and basement of the Jackson building, for their vacation school, the club to pay the teachers, and to have the use of the manual training equipment of the schools if they desire. The Women's club of Newton Centre gets the same privilege and can have the use of the Blue school building, and the manual training equipment is to be loaned them. Perhaps in

time the board will come to see the necessity of having vacation schools in certain sections, maintained by the city.

THE REPORT that the General Court will vote to allow Westminster chambers to remain at their present height seems improbable as that would make the legislature ridiculous. The builders violated the law, and knew they were violating it, and should the legislature vote to relieve them of all punishment, it will leave our great and general court liable to the suspicion of being unable to punish men who violate its orders provided the men have sufficient influence.

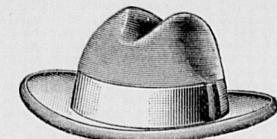
BROOKLINE has decided to build a contagious hospital, in accordance with the latest and most improved design. Newton is also discussing the question of building.

Social by Newton War Veterans.

The newly formed Thomas Burnett camp, 10, Legion of Spanish war veterans, inaugurated its social season Wednesday evening, with a smoke talk and entertainment in Cole's hall on Centre street. The speakers were Senior Vice Commander Thomas F. Clarke of the national master, Capt. Ernest R. Springer of Co. C, 5th infantry, M.V.M., of Newton, and Commander Hugh Wiley, of George G. Whitten camp of Spanish War veterans of Boston. Commander Henry MacCannan and staff of the local camp composed the committee in charge. An entertainment program was given with success, followed by refreshments.

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**THE HUMANITIES  
OF ANY WAR.**

By Gen. O. O. Howard, U. S. A.

I have been asked to write on the established amenities of civilized warfare.

There are well-settled principles of modern international law and custom of service:

1. Concerning Prisoners of War.—The published regulations which pertained to prisoners of war, issued by the War Department in 1881, with which I was familiar at the outbreak of our civil war, were brief—to wit: Prisoners on capture were to be disarmed and sent to the rear, and prompt returns made specifying number, rank and corps.

Rank was to be carefully observed and private property duly respected. Obedience of the captives was required and a ration daily given to each.

The enemy's wounded were to have the same care as our wounded; but special allowances over and above those named, also paroles and exchanges were left to be settled by specific conventions between the belligerents.

A single phrase has since then been



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added to our regulations which is now part of the international agreement, viz.: Prisoners of war shall be treated by the captor with humanity.

The Geneva Convention of 1864, in which eleven nationalities were represented, succeeded in establishing a few important rules for mitigating some of the evils of war, particularly those relating to the sick and wounded:

1. They made hospitals and ambulances for all wounded neutral.

2. The medical-service people and chaplains, all engaged in the care of the wounded, were to participate in the benefit of that neutrality.

3. Inhabitants, non-combatants, to be allowed to aid and care for the wounded without detriment to themselves.

4. Soldiers wounded or ill to be cared for regardless of nationality.

5. The distinguishing badge and flag to be uniform for ambulances and hospitals—a red cross on a white ground, with the national flag near at hand.

The provisions have been agreed to by nearly all civilized powers, the United States having acceded to them in 1882.

6. I may add concerning our own country's service during our civil war that it was very difficult to observe these or similar humane regulations. In those instances on one side where prisoners, wounded or sick men were otherwise treated, there was strong protest from all quarters and deep feeling of indignation manifested. The principle of action demanded, however, was as clear as day, and that principle was humanity, resulting in kind treatment.

DURING that great contest we had the Sanitary and the Christian Commission to supplement all the available governmental relief to prisoners, to sick and wounded; and during the Spanish war came forward the International Red Cross Society, the Army and Navy Christian Commission and other private benevolence for the same purpose. Such were some of the amenities that appeared to mitigate sorrow and suffering in those times when the clouds of disaster were heaviest.

2. Those who Offer to Surrender.—Lawrence on International Law says: "Recent wars between civilized powers have afforded no instance of the slaughter of a garrison." We thought we had a case of such slaughter at Fort Pillow, but the evidence since the war, it is claimed, shows that the soldiers of the garrison, as a rule, kept to their arms and resisted surrender.

The loss of the Confederates was very excessive when in 1864 Fort McAllister, Georgia, was captured, so that General Grant refused to surrender, so that Gen. Grant's men were obliged to pursue and defeat them from traverse to traverse.

Of course, soldiers defeated on the battle-field are entitled to have considered the least sign of a wish to surrender.

Many followers of the Mahdi in Upper Egypt and rough Filipinos in Luzon have offered to surrender, and latter have been treacherous and speared on their captives. I have had but few experiences of a personal nature bearing on the subject of soldiers surrendering in battle during the active conflict.

At Fair Oaks, however, June 1, 1862, two of my regiments in deployed line charged through a thin Confederate line of battle. I noticed then that the Confederate soldiers gave up as soon as we broke and passed their line, and ran back to our rear to be cared for by our Provost Marshal, who the regulars molted a man who was really fighting. At that time of the war our captives were treated with respect and kindness, certainly by the soldiers who had fought them.

There were, doubtless, instances in the heat of battle where individuals violated this custom of service and allowed the passion of the moment to rule. Capt. William Duncan, of my escort, reported to me two cases where a commissioned officer shot a prisoner after the prisoner had agreed to surrender. The circumstances were unusual. The said officer was just then in peril of his own life and crazy to escape from Duncan's on-coming scouts.

If a British officer ordered or justified that sort of brutal conduct he will surely be called to a severe account for it. Our own cavalry under such men as Custer and Kilpatrick, and the Confederates under Stuart and Wheeler, made some terrible charges where very few soldiers asked for quarter, yet some individuals might have done so and not have obtained it in the high excitement of battle.

All lovers of men do hope that there will be no conduct of such kind as that boasted of in present or future wars, if they must come, and they do hope that soon, very soon—the strife itself will end and peace and good-will prevail.

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DUTTON-MOODY—At Boston, April 24, by Rev. Elastus Blakesee, Hammond J. Dutton of Boston, and Grace Drake Moody of Boston.

WARREN-KNOWLES—At Worcester, April 25, by Rev. John Lindsay, Withrow George Warren, and Frances Wightman Knowles of Worcester.

MULCAHY-CONNORS—At West Newton, April 18, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, Thomas P. Mulcahy and Nellie Louise Connors.

KENNEY-COTTER—At Newton Upper Falls, April 25, by Rev. P. J. Danahy, Thomas Kenney and Margaret Cotter.

BARRY-MEADIAN—At Newton, April 25, by Rev. J. J. Gilligan, Michael J. Barry and Julia Maria Meadian.

DARLING-UNDERHILL—At Brookline, April 21, by Rev. E. D. Towle, Charles Ross Darling of Newton and Ida Lucelle Underhill of Brookline.

GANNON-JOLAND—At Hopkinton, April 25, by Rev. John D. Collett, William James Gannon of Newton and Winifred A. Boland of Hopkinton.

HIGHLAND-BLAKE—At Newton, April 18, by Rev. O. S. Davis, Andrew A. Highlands and Lucy Inez Blake.

WILCOX-LASHBURN—At Newtonville, April 18, by Rev. O. S. Davis, Harry Platt Wilcox of Woburn, Vt., and Lillian Gertrude Washburn of Newton.

STANLEY-BUCKLEY—At Boston, April 21, by J. O. Fallon, J. P. William Stanley and Ellen Buckley.

CRANDELL-McCARTHY—At Newton, April 21, by Rev. J. F. Gilchrist, Joseph E. Cranell and Helen T. McCarthy.

SMITH-GOULD—At Worcester, April 18, by Rev. Henry J. Patrick, William Spooner Smith of Newtonville and Ellen Manderville Gould.

**DIED.**

LOCKE—At Newton Upper Falls, April 18, Stowell, son of H. E. and Carrie L. Locke.

QUINN—At Newton Hospital, April 19, John Quinn, 19 yrs. 10 mos.

COLLINS—At Newton, April 19, William Collins, 64 yrs.

STONE—At Newton Highlands, April 20, George Pickering Stone, 71 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

FERRY—At Newton Centre, April 19, Edith Ferry, 21 yrs. 4 mos.

HIGGINS—At Newton, April 22, Anna L. Higgins, 21 yrs. 10 mos.

HOWLEY—At Newton Centre, April 22, John Howley, 86 yrs.

CUTLER—At Newton, April 29, Horace Cutler, 55 yrs. 6 mos. 23 ds.

BIRD—At Newton Highlands, April

## NEWTONVILLE.

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—Mr. W. R. Batchelder of Cabot street is moving to his new home on Mt. Ida.

—Mrs. D. C. Heath of Highland avenue is with friends in the South, during April.

—Latest things in bicycle goods at Westwoods, men's outfitter, 803 Washington street.

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—The regular meeting of the Baptist Division was held with Miss M. E. Jackson, Crafts street, Wednesday afternoon. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Kilburn's, 11 Jenison street, Tuesday, May 1st, at 2 p. m.

—In the rooms of the Associated Charities yesterday, a visitors' meeting was held at 3 o'clock, and a director's meeting at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. O. S. Davis has been appointed a director to fill a vacancy on the board.

—The annual meeting of the Newtonville Women's Guild will be held in the parlors of the New church next Tuesday afternoon. At this meeting the annual reports will be read and officers elected for the coming year.

—On account of the illness of Mrs. B. F. Barlow of Parsons street, the whist party which was to have been given next Monday evening for the members and friends of Tennyson Rebekah Lodge has been postponed.

—Mme. Janofskia, widow of the world-famous Russian pianist and composer, Paul Janofskia, returned from Europe Friday, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. L. Clark of Walnut place, where she will make an extended stay.

—A largely attended meeting of Mt. Ida Council, Royal Arcanum, was held in Dr. Wilson's home Monday evening. A number of guests from other councils were present, and witnessed the initiation of candidates. At the close of the exercises refreshments were served.

—President D. C. Heath presided at the meeting and banquet of the Pine Tree Club, which took the form of an author's night, held at the Hotel Brunswick, Boston, Tuesday. Among others present from here were Mr. Albert Edward Hooper and the Misses Eleanor T. and Catherine Hooper.

—An entertainment of rare excellence is to be given at the Peirce school hall, West Newton, on Monday, April 30, at 8 p. m. It will consist of negro stage songs and plantation folk-lore, by Mrs. Murphy of Newton, who is master in the art of delineation. The public is invited, but a small fee is charged.

—The Young Men's Club of St. John's Episcopal church are to give an entertainment at their home May 11, consisting of "Poison," a farce in one act, and "Sullivan's Trial by Jury." All the parts will be taken by the young men and their young lady friends are especially interested in seeing what they will make of the female characters.

—Rev. E. W. Whitney of Mitford, Mass., will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday in exchange with the pastor, Mr. Whitney is a very successful minister. His congregation at Mitford have recently dedicated a new granite church. All are cordially invited to hear his message. A soloist and soloist from Boston will assist the chorus at the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

—The annual inspection of Gethsemane Commandery, Knights of Pythias, was held in Masonic auditorium, yesterday, consisting of a musical program, followed by a dinner. About 150 were present, and in the afternoon several candidates received the Red Cross degree. Later a banquet was served followed by a musical and dramatic entertainment in the evening.

—The Central church parlors were well filled last Tuesday evening with a company of boys to hear Secretary P. F. Parker of the Newton Y. M. C. A. give his illustrated address on "Diving Signals." An enjoyable feature of the program were the songs by Miss Rachel Marion Ferguson and the solo songs by Mr. Howard Cole.

—The Central church parlors were well filled Tuesday evening when a dramatic entertainment was given under the auspices of the ladies of the church. All the characters in the play were played by the ladies, the accompanist was Mr. Blake. "A Bachelor's Budget" was given by the Misses Anna Davis, Josephine Martin, and Edwin L. Drury, and Messes. Edwin W. Wakeman, Jr., Edmund M. Blake, Augustus L. Wakefield and Edwin Gibbs. This was followed

by "Cups and Saucers," by Miss Martin and A. L. Wakefield.

—A fine apartment is offered to rent for the summer. See business notices.

—Mrs. W. P. Soule of Walker street returns today from her trip to Washington.

—Miss Lillian Anderson of Austin street is enjoying a trip to New York and Washington.

—Mr. Lawrence H. Parker, who was chosen by the senior class of Tufts College the orator for class day, has resigned the position, owing to ill health.

—An alarm from box 29 about five o'clock last Wednesday afternoon was for a brush fire on the Page estate, corner of Watertown and Walnut streets. Slight damage.

—Miss Josephine Sherwood is to have the character part of "Nanette" in the coming production of the operetta, "A Cupid's Complication," by students of Radcliffe College.

—Rev. Charles Sumner Nickerson, formerly of the Universalist church, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Universalist church at Gardner, Me., and will commence his work May 1st.

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WILLIAM HENDERSON DESCRIBES THE DAILY LIFE OF A SOLDIER IN THE PHILIPPINES—PLENTY OF HARD MARCHING AND SCOUTING.

Seelang, P. I.  
Headquarters 4th V. S. V.  
Feb. 11, 1900.

Dear Mother:—Here it is Sunday, and I am sitting in a bamboo shack in a light summer shirt; there is just breeze enough to make it comfortable. The boys of my squad are busy getting ready their supper of bacon, hardtack and coffee. Billy White, the cook, and myself, had such a large dinner, that we decided to put in the time writing.

The shack, I speak of, is a one-story affair, set off the ground on posts about six feet; it is made of bamboo, except the roof, which has bamboo rafters and is thatched. The floor is of split bamboo about one inch wide, and laid one half inch apart, giving abundant ventilation.

All our boys are quartered in shacks, the natives having all vamoosed before the town was taken, we immediately took possession of those we required. When they came back they wanted to move into them, but had to go elsewhere for lodgings. They do not need many express wagons when they move, as all they have is on their backs; also a few pots in which to cook their grub, and possibly a suit or two. It is their fashion whenever an American column approaches to take a town, or when a Filipino mob comes back trying to retake it, (which seldom happens) the natives get out and wait in the woods till the trouble is over, when after a wait of a day or so, they return, and everything commences to go on as quietly as ever.

We left the Nipa Barracks, which are about three miles from the Walled City, on the 3d of January. The barracks there are built of bamboo and were originally used by the Spaniards. From there we marched to San Pedro Macat, a distance of six miles, arriving there at eleven o'clock.

Now, to get back to the time when we wrote you last, when we had landed on the 10th, we marched up a boulevard about 150 feet wide through the centre of which was a narrow park about 50 feet wide, on which, about every quarter of a mile, was erected a band stand, where during the evening the various military bands play. Up and down on either side the various people of the city, including the various military officers, drive in the peculiar carriages they have in this man's country. It certainly was a pretty sight, with the women in their many colored dresses and wraps.

The boulevard extends about two miles from the water front where it ends in a narrow business street, paved, and stone buildings on either side, used by various kinds of merchants. We marched up this street half a mile when we swung to the left up a Herran street on which is located the hospital.

We reached them at 9:30, everything was in darkness, and, as the quartermaster had not put in an appearance, it was a question whether we would get any supper. But it did not amount to much as we were so tired that we were glad enough to lie down and have a good sleep without the supper. At 10:30 the grub was passed around, and consisted of canned corn, bread, hardtack, but I didn't bother to get any.

The next day or two we used in getting acquainted with our surroundings, and it certainly was a novelty. We had been there about three days when the company was ordered to Paco Cemetery to do guard of honor over General Lawton's body, which was lying in state in the chapel, he having been killed a few days before on the South side of Manila. We were to be the company as there were a number of other regiments in barracks through Manila. While we were there, the rest of the First battalion and the whole of the third were ordered out on the line. We were disappointed at not being able to go but we could not be in both places at once, so swallowed our disappointment.

At the close of ten days, the body of General Lawton, with due ceremony, was removed to the Tapayon of Thomas, and we returned to the regiment for duty.

In the meantime the 3d and 1st battalion had gone out on the line as far as San Mateo, and finding the insurgents strongly intrenched in the rear of that town, they with part of the 11th cavalry and a battalion of the 45th, charged and took them, the niggers retreating to the mountains; our 1st battalion was sent in pursuit, while the 3d, 11th, and the 11th cavalry and 45th returned to their regiments.

After a rest of a few days the 2d battalion also the 2d and our company started out and went on the high which brought us to the town of San Pedro Macat, where as I said before, we went into camp. Beside us were camped the 30th and part of the 47th. In the evening the 4th and 11th cavalry pulled up near us, we four regiments, the 4th and 11th cavalry and the 46th and 30th infantry, and the 1st was Brigadier, known as the flying brigade.

We spent the first day resting and the next morning the three companies of the 1st battalion came in. Talk about hoboes! They were a sight, as they had been doing some hard old hycking out through the mountains; they had a fine growth of beard, their clothes were torn, and some had no shoes; those who had any were pretty well done up.

Then soon the 11th and 4th cavalry went out. About two hours later the 30th followed, and at 4 o'clock we marched out and hycked till 7:30 that evening, when we went into camp near the 47th outpost.

We were up the next morning at 4:30 and were ready for the trail at 6 o'clock; we were, as was Co. C, detailed as rear guard; also guard for the bull and wagon train. It was slow going as the bulls they use here cannot go more than two miles an hour. They have to be unhitched every mile or so to give a chance to wet them selves, as they have to be constantly wet in the best of use.

We kept well together until about six o'clock, when there were six bull carts that lagged behind, and three squads, including mine, were detailed to guard them, while the rest of them hycked on ahead to find a good camp ground for the night.

Darkness came before long and it seemed we had not reached camp. The bulls were almost done up, and one in particular was an iron bar and hammer bar, but they would go no faster. To add to our discomfort the water had given out about five o'clock, and we were unable to get any more. We kept at it however, and finally reached the camp ground.

The boys had fire built and water had been brought, so all was right again, and by taps, I felt as fresh as ever; we turned in and slept well. The next morning we were called up to get breakfast; that was soon over and the tents were rolled, and we were off once more at five o'clock.

We hycked three or four miles when we met a detail and some mule teams sent back from the main column to relieve us, and we went on ahead and joined the regiment which was encamped about four miles ahead.

After a rest and a bath, we had two days rations issued to us, after which we started once more on our journey, no one knew where.

Our march took us along the edge of a large lake, and marching through the sand was something to be remembered. At noon we entered a small village, after wading two streams waist deep, and fell out to cook our dinner; then left there after a short rest, and by all accounts we were to have a little scrapping before we went to bed that night.

But we were doomed to be disappointed for we hycked all that afternoon till 4 o'clock, when we entered the outskirts of the town of Binyan, which had been taken that afternoon by the 30th, with the loss of one man; the niggers lost between twenty and twenty-five killed; their loss was unknown as they take them with the third.

Our company was placed on outpost that night and maybe we didn't live high; chicken was a coming dish that night. The night passed all right without any trouble, and the next morning we resumed the march, leaving the 3d battalion there as garrison.

All the next day we hycked and not a sign of a nigger; dinner we had on high hill after a march of twelve miles, and that night we camped on the road outside of Seelang, the town we are now doing garrison duty in.

The next day we entered this town, it having been taken the night before by the cavalry, without the loss of a man. They did not let us rest more than an hour, when A. C. and D companies were ordered to bring up the bull and mule teams which were some miles in the rear.

We were about a dozen miles and met them, but we came back a different route as the one we came out on was impassable to the wagons, on account of the ravines just outside the town. Some of these ravines are a hundred and a hundred and fifty feet deep and so steep that it is hard work for the troops to crawl through them, let alone bringing wagons over.

However, we marched along with the wagon trains till we came to a road which we had left it, and here the ravines were not so bad, and the engineer corps were able to bridge them. We had to guard the train the two days and nights before they had completed, and we were able to bring the wagons over and into the town.

We were assigned quarters in the shacks, and some of the company was placed on outpost. It was lucky, however, to get placed on the support; getting camp-guard about once a week, the rest of the time I had to myself, except to go out on an occasional hyck.

In a little shack the Chinos attached to the company were quartered, and among them was a little fellow named Lee, who was as fine a cook as I have ever seen. The boys in the squad were to go out and capture chickens, eggs and rice; this with the regular rations he would cook for us, and we lived well. But this was too good to last long, and we had been here about ten days when we were ordered to Indian, a town about 9 miles from the town garrisoned by our 3d battalion.

We left in the morning and reached there early in the afternoon, and were placed on outpost in order to give them a night's sleep before starting on a ten days' hyck in the morning. Our one company was to the work of a whole battalion, and it kept us busy doing it.

They pulled up the next morning and we heard nothing of them till they pulled up in ten days later. They had been having a great time while in all our stay in the town we didn't fire a shot.

The morning they left Indian they marched over towards the lake for about twenty miles where they ran into occasional bands of niggers, but they didn't fire heavy fire to within 200 yards of the trenches, when they had to retire, it being too swam for them.

That evening they charged across the bridge and drove them from the intrenchments, killing about sixty and capturing a lot of rifles, ammunition, and also three cannon. Our boys lost one man killed and two wounded. They came back into Indian in the evening and relieved us, and the next morning we started for Seelang. We were marching in two files on either side of the road, and were laughing and talking, when all of a sudden we were fired on from both sides of the road.

It was hot here for a few moments and the bullets were cutting the leaves over our heads, and maybe we didn't hang the ground. The first and second section were ordered up the road, and I was with them. We went up the road a little way, the bullets singing all around us, and then went out on the side of the road and gave them a game. They did not stand long when we started to chase them, and they flushed; we went back to the road and found the rest of the company waiting for us.

The camp has decided to parade on Memorial day with the G. A. R.

## Lasell Notes.

The law lectures for this year are to be given on successive Saturday afternoons by Mrs. Anna C. Fall of Malden, a member of the Boston bar. Mrs. Fall has already begun the course, the first lecture of the six having been given on Saturday afternoon last. Besides being a lawyer Mrs. Fall is also an author, and has written an interesting story, "The Tragedy of a Widow's Third."

The usual symphony party, Saturday evening.

Mr. Stanton's two lectures on the building of the symphony were charmingly illustrated by the speaker, who played a number of compositions, wholly or in part, to show, among other things, the development of the same, the characteristic parts, and the close relations existing between certain sorts of measure and certain moods or emotions of the mind; derives so close that one sensitive to music, derives from it actual suggestions of condition and circumstance, even of speech itself, so that there is in a way, a certain picturing power in the harmonies and melodies heard.

On Sunday a number of the students attended services in Boston.

Mrs. Blanche C. Martin, Lusell instructor in oratory, gave on Monday evening a very pleasant recital, in which she was assisted by Mr. Charles Ridgway, pianist, and Mr. Arthur Phillips, baritone. The gymnasium was full to the doors, and the entertainment heartily enjoyed by the audience. The stage has been provided with handsome curtains, and the organ now occupies the deep recess at the back of it, so that the effect of the whole is much improved.

## Building Permits.

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## POMROY HOME.

Donations for April: Mr. Paxton, rolls; friend in Vermont, a box of maple sugar; Woman's Guild, Congregational church, West Newton, 8 nightdresses, 5 waists, 4 shirts, 10 aprons, 8 prs. drawers 3 dress skirts, shirt waists and other useful articles; Mrs. G. W. Bush, clothing; Miss Weatherby of Newton Highlands, clothing; Miss Gifford, shirt waist; Mrs. O. M. Fisher, a carpet and 4 nightdresses; Mrs. M. P. Parker, a dress; Miss Fisher, clothing; Miss Fisher, clothing; Miss Fisher, Church street, a hat and jacket; Mr. Shepherd of West Newton a jar of mines meat; a friend, pieces of patchwork; Miss Shannon, milk and potatoes; entertainment committee of Baptist church, cake and sandwiches; a friend, hats.

## L. S. W. V. Notes.

It is the desire of the Thomas Burnett camp to organize a Woman's Relief corps in connection with the camp. It will probably be organized next month.

—The play, "For Our Country's Honor," will be given Wednesday evening, May 9. Tickets are now on sale.

The camp held a smoke talk Wednesday evening in its new rooms, Cole's block. It was opened by the officers of the camp and members of other camps. The Senior Vice commander of the Legion, Lieutenant Thomas F. Clarke of East Boston, gave an excellent address on the purposes and needs of the new organization. He was with a few remarks followed by Captain Springer. Musicians and reading furnished refreshments. Refreshments were served later.

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## Woodland Park Hotel Notes.

Mrs. G. Morgan Brown of New York has arrived at the hotel for a few months' stay.

Major E. B. Wilson and Mrs. F. A. Wilson were among those who dined at the hotel Thursday, Patriot's Day.

H. B. Hazen, manager of the National Biscuit Co., Cambridgeport, arrived at the hotel to-day for the spring season.

Mrs. George D. Hatch spent a few days at the hotel last week as a guest of her son, Mr. C. O. Hatch.

Mr. F. W. Holmes entertained a party of 30 young people from Natick at the hotel Friday. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock, after which whist and other games were ordered till a late hour.

W. H. Sawyer and wife, Boston; C. M. Birth, Hudson; H. H. Goodwin and wife, New York; Philip Kelly, C. O. Robertson, A. T. Perry and wife, Jamaica Plain; Mr. and Mrs. Rush Rhines, Newton Centre; E. S. Clark and wife, Framingham, were among those registered at the hotel the past week.

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British Army by a Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army; with an Intro. by Major-General F. Maurice. 86.243

Carey, Ross Nouchette. *Twelve Notable Good Women of the Nineteenth Century, Contests. Her Majesty the Queen, Florence Nightingale, Elizabeth F. Blackwell, Burdett-Coutts, Princess of Wales, Duchess of Teck, Sister Dora, Agnes Weston, Grace Darling, Princess Alice, Lady Henry Somerset, Frances Ridley Havergal*. 92.911

Dasham, Josephine Dodge. *Smith College Stories*. 63.1162

Davidson, Thomas. *Rousseau and Education according to Nature*. 81.335

The author says: "In my volume on 'Aristotle', I tried to give an account of ancient, classical and social education; in the present volume I have endeavored to set forth the nature of modern, romantic and unsocial education. This education originates with Rousseau."

Davis, Mrs. E. Moore. *The Queen's Garden*. 61.1296

Fisher, W. E. *Garrett. The Transvaal and the Boers: a short History of the South African Republic, with a chapter on the Orange Free State*. 75.336

Giddings, Franklin Henry. *Democracy and Empire; with Studies of their Psychological, Economic, and Moral Foundations*. 85.283

Gruelby, Herbert A. *Handbook of the Coins of Great Britain and Ireland in the British Museum*. 105.586

Considerable historical and descriptive matter is added, with lists of the mint-marks chronologically arranged under each reign and transcriptions of the mottoes.

Hermann, Karl. *From Yaneo to Las Marías*. 71.531

An account of the recent campaign in Western Puerto Rico by the Independent Regular Brigade, under command of Brig. Gen. Schwan.

Hornung, Ernest Wm. *The Boss of Taroomba*. 61.1292

A story of the Australian bush.

Hunn, E., and Bailey, Liberty Hyde. *Amateur's Practical Garden-Book*. 101.986

Containing simple directions for the growing of the commonest things about the house and garden.

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An attempt to give a just review of the value of his life work, to pronounce an impartial judgment on his character, and to estimate his influence on the land forces of his country.

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## Literary Notes.

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"The Farningtons" is the title chosen by Miss Ellen Thorneycroft Fowler for her new novel which is to be published immediately by D. Appleton and Company. It is said by those who have seen the manuscript that the new book represents a distinct advance in interest and force upon even "Concerning Isabel Carnaby" and "A Double Thread." The scene of "The Farningtons" is understood to be laid partly in London, and the contrasts of types are said to be most vividly expressed. The book is described as characterized by brilliancy and humor, and also by the close and sympathetic observation of a nonconformist life and thought which has been a feature of Miss Fowler's work. The interest expressed in the forthcoming work of this successful writer seems to be exceptional.

"The Last Lady of Mulberry" is the title of a novel to be published immediately by D. Appleton and Company, whose author, Mrs. Henry Wilton Thomas, has found an unexploited field in the Italian quarter of New York. Mr. Thomas is familiar with Italy as well as New York, and the local color of his vivacious pictures is said to give his romance a peculiar zest. A competent critic speaks of his novel as distinguished by originality in motive, by a succession of striking and dramatic scenes, and by an understanding of the motives of the characters, and a justness and sympathy in their presentation which impart a

constant glow of human interest to the tale. The author has a quiet and delightful humor which will satisfy every reader. While his story deals with anomalies, it is neither depressing nor unpleasantly realistic, like many "stories of low life," and the reader gains a vivid impression of the sunnier aspects of life in the Italian quarter. The book will contain a series of well-studied and effective illustrations by Mr. Emil Pollak. In order to obtain accurate material for the book, the author and Pollak together have visited the scenes of the novel in the neighborhood of Mulberry Street, formerly known as Mulberry Bend, where they obtained photographs and sketches which Mr. Pollak has consulted judiciously with a view to the interpretation of the actual atmosphere of the scenes described.

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## BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

TRENTON THEATRE—Francis Wilson's revival of the ever-popular "Ermine" at the Trenton Theatre has been attended by the success which has never yet failed to follow its presentation. No other piece of its class has remained so long and so high in favor with playgoers. Mr. Wilson's very diverting performance as Gadeaux, of course, has something to do with this; nevertheless, the opera itself, with its bold, comic, satirical comic situations and witty dialogue, contains all the elements of popularity. With Mr. Wilson appear two other members of the original cast, Pauline Hall in the title part and Jennie Weatherby as the Princess; Lula Glaser is the Javotte and William Broderick the Ravens. The beautiful things about this performance is the fact that it does not disappoint, although expectancy is keyed to the highest pitch, for, with his coadjutor, Mr. Wilson, has succeeded in such satisfying results as to bewilder those who have seen earlier productions of the opera. This is attested by the liberal applause which greets him nightly, for, from the time he makes his first appearance until the fall of the curtain, "the house belongs to Wilson." People who have heard "Ermine" again and again, laugh at his capers, witcisms, jokes and dances, as if they had never seen anything like it before. His humor is as rich as a Christmas plum pudding, as good as the brandy sauce therein. The opera is magnificently staged. It will be played only until the end of next week, as on May 7, the Trenton stage will be occupied by the gorgeous spectacular fantasy, "Broadway to Tokio," one of the most elaborate productions of the season, which has just concluded a run of over 100 nights at the New York Theatre. The cast is headed by Fay Templeton, Joe Ott, Josie Sadler, Joseph Sparks, Maym Kolso and other favorites, and the company includes more than 300 people.

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He reminded me that he had arrived scarcely a week ago from the outbreak of the war. He had found certain arrangements in progress to meet a great and rapidly approaching crisis. He had full confidence in Gen. Symons, who was "a soldier of the highest ability, and, besides, a good, brave fighting man." Gen. Symons proposed to hold Dundee and Ladysmith, and under-rated the Boers greatly.

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## NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. Shipman and family are guests at the Pelham House.

—Mr. M. Morris of Roxbury has taken a house on Ripley street.

—Master Edward Henrikus of Centre street is ill at the Newton Hospital.

—Mr. M. Myers of Centre street returned yesterday to this school at Worcester.

—Mrs. L. R. Lippincott and young son of Centre street are visiting in New York.

—Mr. George B. Dillingham and family will move next week to West Somerville.

—Mr. and Mrs. William May are expected home this week from their southern trip.

—Mr. S. E. Allen and family of Bowen street are moving to Centre street, Newton.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Walworth of Centre street are away this week on a trip to New York.

—Mr. Charles Rand of Clark street is moving to his future home in New Hampshire.

—Mrs. G. F. Richardson of Gibbs street returned Thursday from the Newton hospital.

—Clarence Randlett of Lyman street has entered the employ of J. W. Beverly, the watchmaker.

—Mr. H. F. Blood and family are moving here from Boston, and will reside on Glenwood avenue.

—Mr. William Fulton has been appointed call man on hose 3 and Mr. C. A. Fearing substitute.

—Mr. Eugene Alden of Braesland avenue left on Tuesday evening for his home in Hallowell, Maine.

—Mrs. William Macomber of New Bedford is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Linn of Beacon street.

—Mr. Robert H. Gardiner of Hammond street has been elected a director of the Pine Tree State Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris have returned from New York and are at their home on Oxford road.

—Mrs. F. C. Hatch and Master Paul Hatch return next week from a visit to relatives in New Jersey.

—Messrs. I. C. Paul, E. W. Foote and B. H. Bradlee returned on Monday from a fishing trip on the Cape.

—Rev. Dr. Nathan Wood of the Newton Theological institution will preach at the First Baptist church on Sunday.

—Mr. George T. Clark is making extensive alterations and improvements to his house and stable on Jackson street.

—On Tuesday evening Train No. 90 for Boston was delayed for about half an hour owing to the engine getting out of order.

—The furniture and household effects of the late Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Furber will be sold at auction sale on Saturday afternoon.

—Driver P. E. Ellis of steamer 3 returned yesterday from the Massachusetts General hospital, Boston, and is improving in health.

—Letters remain in the postoffice this week for Mrs. Alice G. Evans, H. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimball, Mrs. Marion Norton.

—Mrs. J. L. H. Pope and Mrs. Mary Curtis, who have been spending the winter in Boston, returned Wednesday to the Pelham House.

—The young son of Mr. Ellis of Pelham street, who has been ill with diphtheria at the Newton hospital, has recovered and returned home.

—Rev. George H. Spencer of Pelham street will make the address at the afternoon meeting at the Boston Y. M. C. A. next Sunday.

—Rev. Ozora S. Davis, pastor of the Central church, Newtonville, will preach at the First church, Sunday morning, exchanging with the pastor.

—Work is progressing rapidly on the new house for President Nathan Wood on Institution Hill, which was recently partially destroyed by fire.

—Richard Ryan, 13, of Maple park, whose disappearance was reported to the police last Thursday has, according to those officials, returned to his home none the worse for his experience.

—Rev. E. E. Barr made an address on "The Church in the City" at the morning session today of the Liberal Congress of Religion being held in Boston this week.

—Mrs. Joseph Cook is in New York this week, and on Friday presented the topic, "The Distribution of Missionary Literature and Circulation of Magazines," at the World's Missionary Conference.

—A Mother Goose market will be held in the Unitarian church entertainment room on the afternoons and evenings of May 3, 4, and 5. There will be entertainment each evening. There will be music by King Cole's orchestra.

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—A tennis club has been formed in this place by the name of "Home Club." The courts will be situated on Pelham street. Following is the list of officers: Louis K. Liggett, pres.; N. Lincoln Greene, treas. Miss Florence V. Edwards, sec'y.

—Mr. John H. Howley of Parker street died on Sunday aged 80. His widow and several children survive him. The funeral was held from the house Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, services following from the Church of the Sacred Heart at 9 o'clock.

—The clubhouse of the Newton Centre Golf Club is now in its new location and an addition has been built on it. The club course will be opened on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There will be a tournament of 27 holes medal play, player with lowest nine holes to win etc.

—Miss Edith Ferry, daughter of Mr. A. C. Ferry of Pleasant street, passed away on Friday. She was 21 years of age and possessed a talent for music being a proficient instructor of the violin. Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon at the Unitarian church, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased.

—Mrs. J. Herbert Sawyer read her paper before the Woman Suffrage Association in Boston, Tuesday, on "Some Moral and Political Aspects of the British-Boer War," in which she takes the extreme British side, and called Kruger the greatest tyrant on earth, and said to do the best for the Boers was a travesty on religion. People should study England's motives, she said, before accusing that nation of crudity and cruelty.

—By invitation of the Newton Centre Women's Club the fifth annual meeting of the Newton Federation will be held at this place on Thursday, May 3d, at 11 a. m. The morning session will be devoted wholly to business, the reading of reports and the election of officers. From one o'clock until two there will be an intermission, during which time luncheon will be served. At the afternoon session a discussion upon "Vacation Schools" will be opened by Mrs. Alvah Howe, and Mrs. F.

B. Hornbrook will speak of "Manners and Morals."

The marriage of Mr. M. J. Barry of Clinton place, president of the Newton Letter Carriers Association, to Miss Julia Meehan, daughter of Mr. John Meehan of North school street, Newton, took place at the Church of Our Lady on Washington street, Wednesday. High mass was celebrated by Rev. J. F. Gilfether. The bride was gowned in white silk, and was attended by Miss Mary Sweeney. The best man was Mr. Joseph Barry, brother of the groom. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, after which the couple left for New York. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Barry will make their home on Centre street.

Wednesday evening in Bray hall occurred the annual meeting of the Newton Centre Improvement Association. About 200 persons attended. An excellent musical entertainment was furnished by the Arion quartet and the Waltham Watch Company orchestra. The following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. M. Noble; vice president, J. P. Tenney; sec'y, J. Albert Cole; treas., G. F. Richardson; executive committee, the Rev. J. T. Kidder, Jr., C. M. Goldard, W. E. Parker; two years, A. Bishop, Arthur Muldown; one year, Rev. E. M. Noyes, F. C. Rising. Refreshments were served and dancing engaged in after the business meeting.

## NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Kent of Lake avenue has gone to Maine.

—Miss Ethel Hasbrook has returned from her stay at Hartford.

—Mr. T. P. Curtis, wife and child, have returned from their Southern trip.

—The C. L. S. C. will hold its next meeting with Mrs. E. W. Warren, Lincoln street.

—Now is the time to get your farming tools. Sherman has all kinds at his hardware store.

—Edward Albert Greenwood has taken the position of assistant station agent at the Elton station.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7:30.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Greenwood are visiting for a week with Dr. Lancaster, West Newton Hill.

—The West End Literary Club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Burr, Lake avenue, on Monday, April 30th.

—Mrs. Phipps spoke before the Ladies' Association of Eliot church, Newton, on Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. G. E. Marsh of Lake avenue has returned from an absence of seven weeks on a business trip in the West.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for Mrs. Walter H. Bathrick, Sarah J. Croon, Flora McKinnon, Miss Peterson, Dora Peterson.

—The next meeting of the Monday Club will be with Miss Sweetzer, Lincoln street. A lecture will be given by Rev. Dr. Griffiths and his topic will be "Holland."

—The funeral service of Dorothy Bird, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Everett Bird, took place from the family residence on Chester street, on Tuesday. Rev. Mr. Havens officiated. Musical selection by a quartet. Interment at the New-ton cemetery.

—Saturday afternoon in Lincoln hall there will be a May party for the children from two until five. There will be a May pole dance and a hoop drill, besides general dancing. The admission is fifteen cents and there will be a merry time for all the little folks who attend. There will be dancing in the evening from 8 until 11:30.

—The Hayward Memorial Club have formed a ball team, with the following make up: Catcher, Philip Sweetzer; pitcher, Herbert Gleason; first base, Harold Shaw; second base, George Atkins; third base, Maurice Parker; short stop, Albert Mellen; right field, Philip Leonard; center field, Wallace Hall; left field, Ralph Shaw. The team will play at Newtonville on Saturday morning.

—The funeral service of Mr. G. P. Stevens took place at the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Bishop, the pastor, and Rev. Mr. Phillips were the officiating clergymen. The Friendship Lodge of Odd Fellows of Cambridge, of which he was a member, took charge of the body, which was taken to Mt. Auburn, where a burial service was performed, and the interment took place.

—Old Fellows hall was the scene on Thursday evening of an occasion of special interest to the sir knights of Newton Commandery, Ancient and Illustrious Order Knights of Malta. Among those present were Sir M. S. K. Kauri, deputy grand master; Sir William M. Merrill, past grand commander; Dr. Merrill, past commander, and Past Commanders Rankin and DeZary. The Malta degree was conferred on one candidate.

—At the first meeting of the prospective golf club last Monday evening in the Highland Club house, over half the names necessary to start the club were subscribed. The rest will undoubtedly be secured before the next meeting. This will be next Monday evening at 8:30 at the club house. The officers for the club, the green and the membership committees will be elected at this meeting. Up to this the following have been elected: Pres., Marston, Geo. L. Fowle, Jr., M. H. Douglass, T. W. Gowan, H. W. Ball, C. B. O'Donald, W. M. L. McAdams, Charles F. Johnson, Harry C. Johnson, A. W. Tarbell, J. E. Atwood, Frank E. P. Levy, Arthur K. Lane, Frank L. Tarbell, Miss Lillian Riddick, Miss Elizabeth F. Levi, J. W. Ball, George H. Stevens, Arthur R. Logan, A. E. Nash, J. Henry Watson, Charles H. Watson and E. B. Moulton.

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